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MINE OWNERS

TOGETHER WITH MEN WHO REPRESENT MINERS

Meet in Office of President of the Reading Railroad

TO CONSIDER WAGE SCHEDULE

And Other Demands Made in Behalf of Those Who Dig Coal.

Operators Have Said They Would Not Accept the Terms.

Philadelphia, March 11.—With a keen desire to reach an early decision and thus avoid a suspension of work the representatives of the United Mine Workers of America and the presidents of the coal carrying railroads met today in the Reading terminal building here and began negotiations for a new agreement to go into effect at the expiration of the present working agreement on March 31. It is safe to say that not since the present organization of miners became active in the anthracite regions of Pennsylvania have the workmen and the employers entered upon negotiations with a better feeling and understanding and with better prospects of reaching a settlement without resorting to radical action.

Thomas L. Lewis, national president of the miner's union, who meets the hard coal operators in formal conference for the first time, arrived here from the west early today and before going to the Reading terminal held a final meeting with the officers and executive board members of the three anthracite districts. There was a final exchange of views and Mr Lewis was given certain information he desired regarding mining conditions by the practical men in the miners delegation.

Most of the presidents of the coal roads and representatives of the independents arrived here during the morning and at once went to the offices of President Baer, of the Reading Company where today's meeting was held.

The demands of the anthracite men as drafted at a conference at Scranton and approved by the national convention at Indianapolis in January are as follows

First—That an agreement shall be negotiated between the representatives of the miners and the operators of the anthracite region and all disputes arising under the contract shall be adjusted as provided for in the said agreement.

Second—We demand the complete recognition of the United Mine Workers of America as a party to negotiate a wage contract and that the United Mine Workers of America shall be recognized in our right to provide any method we may adopt for the collection of revenue for the organization.

Third—That we demand an eight hour day with no reduction in wages

Fourth That all coal shall be mined and paid for by the ton of 2,000 pounds.

Fifth—That we demand a definite and more uniform scale of wages and prices for all classes of labor at all collieries in the anthracite region and that all employes receiving $1.50 or less a day shall receive a 10 per cent advance, and all employes paid more than $1.50 and less than $2.00 per day shall receive a five per cent advance

Sixth—That the system whereby a contract miner has more than one son or employes more than two laborers be abolished.

Seventh—That the employers be required to issue uniform pay statements designating the name of the company, the name of the employe, the colliery where employed, the amount of wages and the class of work performed.

Eight—That the contract shall be made for a period of one year.

When the above demands became known to the operators several months ago they made public a statement through their New York agents that the demands would not be granted and strongly intimated that they would ask that the present three years agreement be renewed. The present agreement is the same as the working arrangement made by the anthracite coal strike committee in 1903.

Prior to the meeting President Lewis gave out for publication a copy of the demands to be presented to the operators. The document is headed: "Proposition to the representatives of the anthracite operators."

"Gentlemen, we herewith submit to you and for your consideration a copy of the demands formulated at a joint convention of districts 1, 7 and 9 of the United Mine Workers held in Scranton, Pa., October 12, 1908."

The only change in the phraseology of the eight demands as originally adopted by the mine workers is the omission of the two words "we demand" in the second, third and fifth paragraphs.

Mr. Lewis accompanied by the three district presidents and the three executive boards, of the district, about 35 men all told, went at 3 o'clock to the board room of the Reading company in the big terminal building in which the offices of the company are located. There was a long wait and the meeting did not get together until after 11:30 o'clock owing to the fact that the Reading railroad train bringing from New York a number of the representatives of the coal operators was late.

In addition to the coal company presidents and individual operators present there are also in attendance some of the general and district superintendents from the mines. These men are here to give practical replies to questions that may prove too knotty for the presidents and owners of the mines.

The meeting will probably last several hours as it was announced that luncheon would be served in the board room to all those in attendance. Meanwhile nothing will be known of what transpires at the meeting, but immediately after adjournment a statement will be issued.

Philadelphia, March 11—The conference of the operators and mine workers adjourned at 12:45 after the miners had submitted their demands, a sub-committee consisting of seven members from each side was appointed to take up the negotiations. President Lewis, of the miners and President Baer, of the operators head the respective sub-committees The sub-committees will meet in joint conference after lunch.

CRUMPACKER

Would Fix Election For February, Inaugural in December.

Washington, March 11.—The presidential election early in February and the inaugural ceremonies early in December when the weather usually is good is the proposal that Representative Crumpacker, of Indiana, will make if March 4th is abandoned as the date for inauguration. Mr. Crumpacker believes it desirable to have an administration begin as soon after an election as possible in order that there may be a quick response of the public. On the day of the inauguration Mr. Crumpacker would have a regular session of a new congress begin.

SCHLEY CALLS ON PRESIDENT

Washington, March 11.—Senator Rayner, of Maryland, and Rear Admiral Scot Schley, retired, called together today at the White House to pay their respects to President Taft.

President Taft appointed B. B. Creamer collector of customs at Brownsville, Texas. The appointment was made upon the recommendation of republican national Committeeman Lyon from that state who was a White House caller today

POLICE THINK HE IS INSANE.

Bradford, Pa., March 11.—Albert Lawton, of Knapps Creek, near here, was arrested early today by police of this city and Olean, N. Y., following an attempt to hold up a street car between here and Olean. The man is believed to be mentally unbalanced and was taken to the Cattaraugus county jail at Little Valley, N. Y., pending an investigation

Lawton wore a mask and was flourishing a revolver when noticed by the motorman, who immediately turned on full power. As the car rushed by Lawton, he fired six shots, none of them, how ever, striking the passengers or the crew

TON OF SHAMROCK ARRIVES AT PORT.

New York, March 11.—A ton of Shamrock arrived at this port last night from Southampton. There was also received 3,381 sacks of mail from Ireland.

YALE ALUMNI TO GREET HIM.

New Haven, Conn., March 11.—President Taft has signified his intention of being present at the March meeting of the Yale corporation, of which he is a fellow, which will be held on Friday, March 19. That evening President Taft will be the guest of the alumni of New York city at a banquet. More than a thousand of the Yale alumni have indicated their desire to attend

PUDDLERS GET TILT IN WAGES.

Youngstown, O., March 11.—The wages of puddlers were advanced 12½ cents per ton by the terms of the bi-monthly settlement between the mill operators and Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin workers in Pittsburg today. The puddling rate is now $5.37½. Finishers are given a 5 per cent advance. The net rate is for the months of March and April and about 10,000 men are affected.

SENATOR PUT UNDER KNIFE.

Baltimore, March 11.—United States Senator Beveridge, of Indiana, underwent an operation at Johns Hopkins hospital today. While it was delicate, the operation was to be not of a serious character and the surgeon said his patient's condition was gratifying. He expected Mr. Beveridge to be able to get about without any trouble within a few days. From all indications the surgeon added, the operation was in every way successful

SKATING RINK BURNED.

Louisville, Ky., March 11.—The Coliseum used as a skating rink, located at Fourth avenue and A street, burned to the ground early today. The loss is about $50,000.

AS IT STANDS

ELKINS LAW IS FULL OF GREAT BIG HOLES.

Decision of U. S. Court of Appeals and That of Anderson

PUNCTURED IT TO PERFECTION.

Gov't. Attorneys Say That Decision at Chicago Isn't Binding.

Next Case Against Standard Comes Off Down in Tennessee.

Washington, March 11.—The officials of the department of justice today again declined to discuss what further action will be taken by the government with respect to the several other criminal cases against the Standard Oil Company for accepting rebates, now pending in the courts for the northern district of Illinois It is understood, however, that Messrs. Wilkerson and Sims, government attorneys in these cases, will come to Washington within the next few days for a conference with Attorney-General Wickersham when it is presumed a course of action will be decided on.

The decision of the court yesterday in the $29,000,000 fine case leaves still pending in the Chicago district court three double cases in which two separate grand juries have found indictments. These three double cases are understood to be similar if not identical with the case decided yesterday.

Consideration already has been given by government counsel to the case of the United States against the Standard Oil Company which shortly is to come to trial at Jackson, Tenn The indictment in that case contains 1500 counts, the specific charges being that the Standard shipped from Whiting, Ind., to various points in the south 1500 or more cars of oil on which concessions in rates were made by the railroads.

The decision of the circuit court at Chicago is not binding, as a matter of law, on the Tennessee judge who may try the case, as he is not in the same circuit but it is considered likely that he may follow the Chicago judge so far as the two cases have similarity. The Tennessee case probably will be heard by Judge John E. McCall, of the western district of Tennessee

"A four horse rebate team can be driven through the Elkins law as it stands now after the decision of the United States court of appeals and that of Judge Anderson in the Standard Oil case at Chicago"

This was the opinion expressed by an important law officer of the government in course of a discussion of the Standard Oil Co's case now pending in various parts of the country.

The law officer pointed out that Judge Landis, who imposed the $29,000,000 fine upon the Standard held that it was the duty of a shipper to make reasonable inquiry as to whether the rate he was using was lawful or not. Judges Grosscup, Seaman and Baker, of the United States circuit court of appeals, reversed that statement of the law and held, substantially, that the government had to prove that the shipper knew he was getting an illegal rate.

In this view of the situation the Elkins law is practically nil.

ANXIOUS ABOUT HIM.

St. Petersburg, March 11.—Premier Stolypin, who is suffering from a serious attack of influenza, passed a bad night and his condition today inspired considerable anxiety.

GANS IS READY FOR JABEZ WHITE.

New York, March 11.—Joe Gans, the light-weight boxer, will meet Jabez White, the little English fighter, at the National Athletic club here tomorrow night Gans came here from Baltimore and will put the finishing touches on his training today preparatory to the ten-round bout. Gans hopes to win, but he realizes that he has a hard proposition before him.

ATTENTION GIVEN TO MINE GASES.

Champaign, Ill., March 11.—General significance is attached to the deliberations of the Illinois Fuel conference which began at the University of Illinois today, because of the especial attention to be paid to mine explosions, preventatives and rescue measures. The conference is also made the occasion of the formal opening of the United States Geological Survey's laboratory established here for experimental purposes.

President James of the University welcomed the conferees, and P. Y. Williams, mining engineer of the Geological Survey gave a demonstration of the use of oxygen helmets and of modes of relieving victims of mine gases

DR. THAD REAMY DEAD.

Cincinnati, March 11.—Dr. Thaddeus Asbury Reamy, known in the medical profession as one of the great authorities on gynaecology, died at his home here today. He was 80 years old.

UNIONS

Protest Because Inaugural Stand Was Built by Non-Union Men.

New York, March 11.—A resolution protesting against the fact that the Taft inaugural stand was erected by non-union men has been received by local unions from the Building Trades Council of Washington.

The resolution says in part:

"Resolved, that we, the Building Trades Council, chartered by the Building Trades department of the American Federation of Labor, do hereby enter our earnest and hearty protest against this departure from an established custom and be it further,

"Resolved, that a copy of the resolution be spread on the minutes, a copy furnished organized labor and a copy presented to our friends in congress."

COURT OF APPEALS

Modified and Affirmed the Opinion of Justice Gould

WHICH ENJOINED FEDERATION OF

Labor From Publishing We Don't Patronize the Bucks Company.

Washington, March 11.—The court of appeals of the district of Columbia today modified and affirmed the opinion of Justice Gould, of the supreme court of the district enjoining the American Federation of Labor, Samuel Gompers and other defendants from publishing in the "We don't patronize" list the name of the Bucks Stove and Range Company, of St. Louis.

The opinion which was handed down by Justice Robb holds that the decree of Judge Gould should be modified to the extent that there should be eliminated from the decree the restriction of the labor organization and the other defendants from "mentioning, writing or referring" to the business of the Bucks Stove and Range Company, or its customers. Otherwise the decree is affirmed. The court holds that the "combination" and conspiracy in furtherance thereof and the publication in the "we don't patronize" in aid of the boycott is illegal.

The court held that the defendants could not be restrained from all publications referring to the Bucks Stove and Range Company, but only to such as are made in furtherance of an illegal boycott.

In partial dissenting opinion Chief Justice Shepherd took a strong stand in upholding the freedom of the press. He says that even assuming that the publication of the complainants name in the "we don't patronize" column of the Federationist" was a step in the formation of a conspiracy to coerce independent leaders into refusing to have further business relation with that company, he did not agree that the name of the corporation of company should not be mentioned in the press.

Giving as his reason for the opinion Justice Robbs declared that the "we don't patronize" list of the American Federation "constitutes a talismanic symbol indicating to the membership of the Federation that a boycott is on and should be observed," and said in regard to the court's modification of Justice Gould's decree that the court had a right to prevent the printing of this "unfair" list but that "the decree should stop there and not attempt to regulate the publication and distribution of other matters over which the court had no control."

HIS DEFENSE WAS INSANITY.

Moundsville, W. Va., March 11.—Dr. Chas. McCracken, of Cameron, W. Va., recently convicted of second degree murder for having caused the death, by shooting, of his 2-year-old child last Christmas eve, was sentenced today to ten years in the penitentiary. McCracken shot and seriously wounded his wife and a second bullet killed the child. His defense was insanity.

TEN YEARS

In Insane Asylum Ended Through Dramatic Incident.

Plainfield, N. J., March 11.—John Uelrich, a former city judge, has been released from the Morris Plains insane asylum after ten years confinement. The restoration of his mind came about in a dramatic manner on Lincoln's birthday when he delivered an address at the institution on Lincoln so eloquent and so indicative of a sound mind that the officials immediately took steps to bring about his parole.

After his release yesterday, Judge Uelrich, came to the home of his brother-in-law in this city and when the news spread about town hundreds of friends who had known him in days gone by, gathered to extend their congratulations.

A nervous break down ten years ago, caused the judge to be committed to the asylum by his family. Prior to that he had been a prominent member of the New Jersey bar and well known in Masonic circles.

CORN SPECIAL

GOVERNOR HARMON IS TO FURNISH WILL TRAVEL

Over All Lines and Stop at All Points on the C. H. & D.

WHERE FARMERS SHOW INTEREST.

Governor Will Not Veto the Allowance Made for Canals.

Mather Bill Becomes Law and Saves the State a Large Sum.

Columbus, O., March 11.—The itinerary has been completed for the Ohio "corn train special" which will be run under the direction of the state agricultural board. The start will be made on March 23. Xenia will be the first stopping place. The train will be furnished by Governor Harmon as receiver of the C. H. & D. railroad and the route will be over the lines of that company in eastern and northwestern Ohio. There will be a corps of competent lecturers aboard who will talk on a variety of agricultural topics.

Columbus, March 11.—An opinion has been given by the attorney general to City Solicitor R. L. DeRan, of Tiffin, that he may contract with the city council to re-codify the municipal ordinances and receive compensation for this work in addition to his regular salary.. It is held that service would not be a part of his official duty and if done without interfering with his work as an official extra pay may be drawn for it.

Columbus, March 11.—Believing that Gov. Harmon will not veto the appropriation of $280,000 for the canal improvements for the ensuing year, the state board of public works will meet in adjourned session next Tuesday and decide how to spend the money. Arrangements will be made to call for bids and will be decided what work shall be done and where located The appointments of the office force and other attachees will also be made. It is not likely there will be any changes to speak in any of the places. In addition to the appropriations mentioned there were allowances for the salaries of the board members and the maintaining of the canal, the total appropriation amounting to $316,000. All this money may be disbursed as the board sees fit

Columbus March 11.—A half dozen or more bills passed by the general assembly this week have been sent to Governor Harmon for his approval, he signed one the Matner bill repealing the law authorizing the publication of the biographical annals of the members, executing an expenditure on the part of the state of $18,000

CHECK WRITTEN ON WOOD HONORED.

Cincinnati, March 11.—The Fourth National bank of this city was yesterday presented with a check for 83 cents written on a block of pine wood one inch thick, one foot long and six inches wide and the same was paid A local real estate dealer became engaged in a dispute with a tenant over a broken widow pane and the tenant being compelled to pay the expense wrote the check on the pine block

ORIGINAL TEAMS BADLY SHATTERED.

New York, March 11.—A score of pedestrians half of whom were Americans, composed the ten teams that were still in the running today, the fourth day of the international go-as-you-please race at Madison Square Garden. Only four of the original teams remained intact, the others being reconstructed.

Cibot and Orphee, of France, were the leading team with Davis and Metgus second. Dineen and Poruty third Loeblein and Klubertanz fourth and Feegan and Curtis in fifth position to which they dropped back

TAFT IS SIMPLY PAYING HIS DEBTS.

Cincinnati, March 11.—An interesting story is related here in connection with the appointment of Attorney John W. Warrington, as the late Judge K Richards' successor on the United States circuit court bench.

According to his story when General Harrison was chosen president he offered Warrington a place on the federal bench. Warrington declined the offer and asked President Harrison why he did not appoint "Will" Taft. President Harrison did and from the date of that appointment, Taft has been in the government's service. Warrington received a telegram from President Taft yesterday informing him of his appointment as Judge Richards' successor.

WHOLE

Ward of Pittsburg in Danger of Caving In.

Pittsburg, March 11.—Owners of nearly a square mile of city residence property in the new 18th ward, formerly Moonth borough, are preparing to ask the courts to enjoin the Moonth Coal Company which owns the rights to the coal under the entire surface of that section of the city from extending its workings under the houses, streets and sewage systems, for the mining of the Pittsburg vein of coal, which it is alleged, lies so near to the surface that if the work is carried out the entire ward is in entire danger of falling into the workings.

KISSED PRAYER SOLOMON MADE.

Washington, March 11.—Through James H. McKenney, the veteran clerk of the Supreme Court of the United States has just come to light the fact that President Taft's lips fell upon a very significant passage in the bible when, after taking the oath of office, he kissed the sacred volume.

Mr. McKenney held for the chief justice the book used in connection with the administering of the oath of office. He presented it to Mr. Taft and after the latter had sworn to bear truth, faith and allegiance, he reverently leaned over and touched his lips to the open face of the book. They fell upon the third chapter of I. Kings, at the point of beginning:

"Give therefore thy servant an understanding heart to judge thy people, that I may discern between good and bad; for, who is able to judge this thy so great people?"

This was the prayer of Solomon at the beginning of his reign and the passage closes with the statement that the prayer was answered because of its unselfish character.

BURIED ALIVE IN DEEP SEWER.

Hamilton, O., March 11.—A sewer trench eight feet deep caved in today burying three men alive. All available workmen are engaged in digging out the men.

When rescuers reached the bottom of the sewer they found the dead bodies of James Robinson and Alexander Howard. Thomas Revera was rescued alive but will probably die

WILL ALTERNATE.

Washington, Ind., March 11.—The Indiana-Illinois convention of Woodmen of the World and the Indiana convention of Woodmen's Circle, the ladies' auxiliary of the order, adjourned yesterday after a two days' session. The Woodmen will meet in 1911 at Danville, Ill., and the Woodmen's Circle will meet the same year in Indianapolis. At yesterday's session it was decided to alternate between Indiana and Illinois the election of Head Consul at succeeding head camps, to hold a log-rolling at Michigan City next summer, to be participated in by Woodmen of Indiana, Illinois and Michigan, and to have delegates to the Sovereign Camp at Detroit use every effort to secure the Sovereign Camp for Indianapolis two years hence.

FAREWELL GIVEN OLD FIRE HORSE

Pittsburg, Pa., March 11.—One of the strangest farewell concerts ever given in Pittsburg was that in the basement of No. 53 Engine House, when the fire laddies for three hours sang and played a farewell to "Ole Bull" a white horse from the stable, who had served the fire department 20 years and who had just been ordered to the sales stables. The show lasted three hours, with the old gray horse comprising the entire audience.

LOOKING OVER HIS LEAD LEASES.

Coldwater, O., March 11.—Ex-Mayor Dietrick, of Kenton, was in Coldwater recently looking over his leases He is one of the gentlemen at the head of the company formed to develop a lead vein found on the Pleiman farm near town. Mr. Dietrick is very enthusiastic over the possibilities of the being discovered and says work will shortly be commenced to put down a mine. The company has also leased the Nieberding and Dues farms nearby.

TO VOTE ON PROHIBITION.

Des Moines, Ia., March 11.—The resolution calling for a vote of the state upon an amendment to the constitution in favor of the prohibiting of intoxicating liquors passed the house this afternoon by a vote of 68 ayes and 6 nays. Should the resolution pass the senate it cannot be submitted to a vote until 1911.

FIRST ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Chicago, March 11.—President Taft, through his private secretary, has sent a letter of acknowledgment and thanks to Joseph Olles, of Waukegan, Ills., who named his little son, born at 11 a. m., March 4, William Howard Taft Olles

DIRECT PRIMARY TO BE HIS SUBJECT.

New York, March 11.—Direct primary nominations will be the subject of an address by Senator Robert M LaFolette, of Wisconsin, at a meeting to be held by the civic forum at Carnegie hall tomorrow evening. He will be introduced by Senator Chamberlain, of Oregon, who owes his seat in the senate to the primary law in that state, having been elected by a republican legislature by the primary law, although Mr Chamberlain is himself a democrat

TAXING COFFEE

IS GIVING WAYS AND MEANS FELLOWS TROUBLE.

They Want to Put on a Duty of Five Cents But Fear Trouble

WHEN ELECTION ROLLS AROUND.

Five Cents a Pound Would Mean Millions of Quick Profit

To Speculators in United States Who Now Hold 40,000,000 Bags.

Washington, D. C., March 11.—With the Payne tariff bill practically in readiness to be introduced on the first day of the special session, newspaper correspondents, anxious to learn what has been done with schedules affecting the sections in which their papers circulate, and manufacturers and others who have interests that will be affected by the new measure, gathered early at the ways and means committee room in an effort to learn something regarding the new bill.

No legislative measure has been so carefully guarded as the document now being framed. The proposition that has given the committee the most concern and which has been the most difficult to determine is the plan to tax coffee. Some republican members declare that the taxing of the breakfast table would make it impossible for the republicans to carry their districts at the next election. The National Coffee and Tea association wrote to the committee that a tax on coffee or tea would be unjust to the consumer, detrimental to trade, irritating to the masses, and finally will fail to produce any material revenue to the government for nearly twenty years to come.

"A duty of five cents upon coffee would mean an immediate profit of at least $6.50 per bag upon every bag in the United States to the owners thereof," is the claim made. "There being nearly 40,000,000 bags at present held here by individuals, corporations and Wall street speculative interests, such a duty would mean a profit of $26,000,000 to the owners and holders thereof. But it would not mean one dollar paid ino th United States treasury."

Paper and pulp manufacturers have expressed great alarm over the report that the committee would include in the bill the changes in the pulp and paper schedule recommended in the report of the Mann committee which investigated the pulp and paper question. The American Paper and Pulp association, through its president, Arthur C. Hastings, has submitted a lengthy brief urging certain changes in the recommendations made by the select committee.

"We cannot too emphatically state that the recommendations of the select committee fill us with alarm," says Mr. Hastings, "and we believe if adopted would inevitable be injurious to our industry, to the country, and ultimately to the consumer."

The Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Producers association, claiming to embrace in its membership the owners of 87½ per cent of the producing oil wells in Oklahoma and Kansas, which produce 60 per cent of the high grade refining crude oil of the United States, has submitted a brief urging that the present countervailing duty on petroleum be maintained The countervailing clause of the Dingley tariff imposes on oil imported from other countries the same duty which they collect on oil imported to them from this country.

Jackson, Miss., March 11.—That the proposed revision of the tariff will result in the perpetration of a fraud on the nation is the opinion expressed by United States Senator A. J. McLaurin, who is back from the national capitol to spend the congressional recess. Senator McLaurin said:

"It is not the republicans intention to reduce the tariff to any material extent. It is the purpose of the party in power to continue it as a protective tariff and in many instances, even make it prohibitive. They will make some immaterial reductions to give it the appearance of a downward revision. But when it is summed up the last state of the tariff will be as bad if not worse than the first."

TO PREVENT FAMINE.

El Paso, Texas, March 11.—Mexico will declare off all wheat duties by April 1st, in order to prevent a bread famine.

MRS. STIRLING GETS EXPENSES.

Edinborough, March 11.—Lord Guthrie who yesterday granted a divorce to John A. Stirling from his wife who was an American actress, has allowed Mrs. Stirling the expenses of her action. He has decided also that Lord Northland, named by Mr Stirling as co-respondent, should pay the costs of the husband's action. Mrs. Stirling is to have reasonable access to her child, who is placed in the custody of the husband.

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QUAIL INVALUABLE

To the Farmer is Statement Contained in Government Publication.

ARE PROTECTED IN MANY STATES.

Economic Value Has Not Been Appreciated Until Recently.

Those who are interested in the formation in this city of a branch of the League of American Sportsmen will be interested in a publication by the government which shows the necessity of preventing the absolute extermination of the quail, the cheerful Bob White which has been known for generations as the gamest little bird that ever swished across the stubble fields in the fall says the Commercial Tribune

This pamphlet gives the economic relations and value to the farmer, the gardner, fruit raiser, and others to whom weeds are obnoxious and harmful in many ways. Alas, the farmers as a rule, have never appreciated the value of the bird. They knew, and have known for centuries, that quail in almost any way was a luxury on the table. They have hunted him and trapped him when such a thing as scarcity, or extermination, never entered their minds Of late they have catered to sportsmen from the city and allowed them to shoot over their lands for a pecuniary consideration. Evidently they have made a mistake.

In many states quail are protected except for a limited season. In some states they recognize his economic value and they prohibit the slaughter even during a limited season After all is known laws will be enacted which will protect the quail during every month of the year and for many years.

This bird seldom eats any grain product of the farm He may indulge in a few grains that fall by the wayside, but standing grain tempts him not, nor does he scratch for a living. He may glean over stubble fields to find the lost grain, but he does not destroy. He loves caterpillars and cut worms and other insects, as well as the seed of noxious weeds. In that way he is a blessing to the men who own farms.

Examinations of quail that have been killed at certain seasons show that they have eaten thousands of weed seed. They also eat wild berries and fruits, many varieties of beetles and bugs, many varieties of spiders, ants, etc., but they do not harm the farmer's crops. The good they do is beyond measure, and yet they are heartlessly killed in great numbers in some localities. Happily the states are beginning to realize their value and are passing strangent laws for their protection. He is a sweet morsel for the table, but all can well do without him for years, considering the good work he does in the interest of the farmers and all farm products.

HEARING TIME FIXED.

Columbus, March 11.—The supreme court today overruled the motions and demurrer of Attorney Charles A. Thatcher, of Toledo, to the charges filed in the disbarment proceedings pending against him and fixed March 27th as the date for the filing of his answer and for the fixing of the time and place for the hearing. Thatcher asked for dismissal of the charges and also that the case be transferred to the Lucas county courts.

Eczema a Germ Disease.

Myriads of Microscopic Animals Infest the Skin of the Sufferer.

When the skin of an eczema sufferer itches and burns in untold agony, do you know what is going on within the pores of that skin?

Myriads of microscopic animals are gnawing at the flesh, breaking down the tissues and causing festers, thick scales and that terrible itch. The germs multiply faster than Nature can throw them off

Now there is only one way to get rid of these germs they must be killed in their lodging places. Dosing the stomach or trying to cure the blood will not, of course, kill the germs, and that is why all the blood remedies fail in eczema that is also why salves which do not penetrate can do no permanent good.

Ordinary oil of wintergreen properly compounded in liquid form will penetrate the pores of the skin and kill the eczema germs If properly mixed with thymol, glycerine and other ingredients (as in D. D. D. Prescription) this wash will build up the tissue of the skin and promote its healthy growth, giving Nature a chance, while killing the germs faster than they can multiply.

Hunter Bros., Druggists, of this city carry D D D Prescription, also D. D. D Soap in stock.

HALLAND VIOLENT

During Trip from Findlay to Gallipolis.

William Halland, the unfortunate colored man who was taken into custody by the police at Findlay while suffering from epilepsy, was safely landed in the Gallipolis hospital for epileptics, Tuesday evening. He was taken on the T. & O. C., 9:20 a. m., by Sheriff Johns and Special Officer F. M. Treece.

Bound, hand and foot to a straight jacket he rested well until south of Columbus when he again became violent. His continued struggling and maniacal shouting was almost unbearable to those in whose charge he had been placed. The pitiful condition of the patient so unnerved the baggage master, it is said, that he was glad when the institution was reached.

Halland was immediately removed from the straight jacket and placed in a padded cell. The house physicians took him in charge and began treatment at once.—Findlay Republican.

PULLED PISTOL AND DID SHOOT.

Laurens, S. C., March 11.—With the prosecution claiming the tragedy was due to jealousy, inflamed by drink, following a girl's refusal to go into supper with Pinson and the defense contending the shooting was accidental, the trial today of Cotheran Pinson for the killing of his old friend, Thornton Boyce, at Cross Hill, April 6, last, is attracting much attention. The case is being heard in the court of general session

It was testified that Pinson said outside of the restaurant:

"I am going to shoot like hell." He then pulled his pistol and began to shoot. He first shot to the right of Boyce and then turned the pistol toward his own head and fired but the bullet missed, passing over his shoulder striking Boyce in the left breast, killing him instantly. The case is expected to go to the jury late in this week

REPRESENT 15,000.

Bellaire, O., March 11.—Delegates representing 15,000 coal miners in Ohio and West Virginia are holding a convention here today.

Recipe.

To cure a cold in one day—Refrain from using any of the numerous antidotes your friends are sure to prescribe.—Los Angeles Express.

JUDGE M. DONNELY

Indicted by Toledo Jury for Alleged Perjury and Embezzlement.

TROUBLE GROWS OUT OF FAILURE

Of Ohio German Fire Insurance Company and Napoleon Bank.

Toledo, O March 11.—Judge M. Donnelly, president of the Ohio German Fire Insurance company, was indicted yesterday by the Lucas county grand jury Perjury and embezzlement are charged. The perjury charge against Donnelly is based on the reports sent by the Ohio German to the state insurance department and sworn to by him as president. These reports were deliberately falsified, it is charged, in that unpaid losses to the amount of $300,000 were covered up, terms of practically every policy written for a term longer than a year were shortened in the statements to reduce the company's liability, showing bonds and securities were borrowed from banks and reported to the state as assets of the company. The embezzlement charge specifies that he applied funds of the company to paying interest on personal loans. The amount involved is between $150,000 and $200,000.

It is also charged in the indictment that a policy of $600, carried on a house, was altered and raised to $1,700. A barn on the property was destroyed by fire and it is alleged in the indictment that a claim of $1,600 was inserted in the policy on the house and the $1,100 collected.

J. D. Groll, former cashier of the Citizens' State Bank at Napoleon, was haled before Common Pleas Judge Chittenden today for refusing to answer questions put to him by the Lucas county grand jury.

The questions, it is presumed, related to deals aggregating over $100,000 between the Ohio German Fire Insurance company and the Napoleon bank.

Groll has been before the grand jury several times during the Ohio German investigation by that body. Questions asked him could have pertained only to the disputed claim for more than $100,000 between the insurance company and the bank.

The Lucas county grand jury has no authority to probe transactions of a Henry county bank other than those to which a Lucas county resident or corporation was a party.

Prosecuting Attorney Holland Webster took Groll before Judge Chittenden. Groll gave as his reason for declining to talk that he feared it might incriminate him. Judge Chittenden upheld Groll's right to refuse to testify.

Lucas county officials can take no further steps in Groll's case. But his appearance in open court and his plea that his testimony before the grand jury might have tended to incriminate him, brings him under the eye of the Henry county officials

Donnelly Goes to Toledo.

Napoleon, O. March 11.—Upon learning of his indictment yesterday afternoon by the Lucas county grand jury, Judge Donnelly, accompanied by Mrs. Donnelly, went to Toledo on the 7:09 train last evening. The indictment created only a mild sensation in his home town, as it was quite expected.

MASSACHUSETTS GETS PUNCHED.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., March 11.—In trying to get alongside the New York, New Haven and Hartford freight steamer Massachusetts, which went ashore on Martha's Vineyard yesterday, the steamer Boston today had a section of her bulwalks and fifty feet of her rail smashed in and narrowly escaped getting a hole punched in her side

During the forenoon an Arbuckle lighter and the tug Pontiac from New Bedford arrived on the scene to assist the Scott force of tugs and lighters in the effort to float the steamer. A westerly gale which is sweeping Vineyard sound is interfering with the work of salvage

JONES FIGHTS FOR ACCOUNTING.

Columbus, March 11.—Final arguments were made before State Insurance Commissioner Lemert today in the case on which the revocation of the license of the Home Life Insurance Company of New York is sought for violating the Ohio law forbidding an insurance company to have a case brought against it transferred from one court to another. The complainant is former Lieutenant Governor Asa W. Jones, formerly of Youngstown, but now residing on a farm in Trumbull county, who brought suit against the company alleging that he was not receiving proper dividends on a policy which it issued to him some twenty years ago The company had the case transferred to the federal court at Cleveland

WEDDING

Solemnized at Probate Office This Afternoon.

Mr John Ebling and Miss Emma Neff secured a marriage license this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Squire Dempster was summoned to the probate office and the couple were united in marriage with the corps of court house deputies as witnesses. The contracting parties each hail from Perry township, where the groom is a prosperous farmer After receiving the congratulations of all present, the happy couple departed for the home of the groom

Forgetting.

If some people were to think twice before speaking they would probably forget what they wanted to say.—Chicago News.

MUNDJI BEY

Washington, March 11.—Three hundred thousand Ottoman subjects living in the United States have petitioned Kaizim Bey, Turkish Ambassador to the United States, to urge that Munji Bey, Turkish Consul at New York, be deposed for what they call "grafting."

The petitioners allege that Munji Bey has taken advantage of ignorance of Syrians Greeks and Armenians seeking passports to their native land by overcharging them for his official signature and Turkish stamps for those documents.

"I shall look into these grave charges with diligence, dispatch and care," said the Ambassador.

"I shall send a representative to New York within three days to investigate them. Should they prove true and well grounded, shall deem it my duty to relieve the situation."

BROWNVILLE FACTS

A few of the reasons why the Investor and Business Man should go to Brownsville, Texas.

Brownsville is the Gateway to Mexico, and is the metropolis of the Gulf Coast Country, with a population of 11,000, and growing rapidly

Brownsville is in the midst of the most fertile farming country in the world.

Climatic conditions at Brownsville are Ideal There are no extremes of heat or cold; sunstrokes are unknown; there has not been a killing frost in thirty years.

The soil is one of the richest deposits in the known agricultural world.

The great staple crops are Sugar Cane, Alfalfa, Cotton and Corn. Sugar Cane is no experiment. It has been successfully grown for nearly forty years, and sugar experts have justly termed the Brownsville country the Sugar Bowl of America

Vast fortunes have been made growing sugar cane in Louisiana, but in the Brownsville country the yield is almost double that of Louisiana, the sucrose contents (pure sugar) 30 per cent greater, and labor much cheaper Two of the largest sugar mills in the United States are in operation at Brownsville, so a permanent home market is assured. Sugar cane will pay you $100 per acre net.

Brownsville is justly called the "Garden Spot of Texas"

Everything that can be grown at Los Angeles, California, is being grown at Brownsville This cannot be said, truthfully, of any other section in Texas.

Arrangements are fully completed for the erection of another sugar mill, so there is no question about having a first class competing market for your crops.

Three Electric Interurban Railway lines have applied for franchises at Brownsville, and one has already been granted.

We have sold large tracts of this land to Lima, Ohio, parties, who are more than pleased with their purchase. We would gladly refer you to them.

Our next Excursion to Brownsville will be Tuesday, March 16th. Many wide-awake business men will go with us. Join us and get in on the ground floor

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The curse of tongues was lifted.
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No citizen or savage
A difficulty found

But still in their rejoicing
One mystery remained,
One strange and baffling puzzle,
Which left men dazed and pained
Though keenest minds considered,
Exhausting every means,
None understood the poems
They print in magazines.
—New York Sun.

THE STAGE.

"The Land of Nod."

There has been a steady purchase of seats for "The Land of Nod" ever since the sale opened at the Faurot box office this morning, and it is confidently expected that the house will be sold solidly in advance of the performance which occurs tomorrow night. Regular theatre-goers appear to have been joined in this instance by a vast number of people who do not attend the theatre frequently, a circumstance which has been noticed by the box office attaches, who become familiar with the "regulars" and know just where each likes to sit Treasurer Myers stated yesterday that within his experience he had not seen so many strange faces at the ticket window as have appeared during this sale. This is regarded as an indication of interest even more striking than when there is a big sale confined to those people who make a point of seeing all the high class shows which come along. The splendid record of this extraordinary show has certainly preceded it here, and the result will undoubtedly be manifest in an audience of imposing size

"Human Hearts."

"Human Hearts," the idyl of the Arkansas Hills, will be produced at the Faurot next Saturday afternoon and night. Lake Shore Acres, and The Old Homestead, time only increases its hold upon the hearts of the people. Each succeeding season of this thrilling play's annually increasing business, has induced the management to engage for this season's production one of the strongest companies ever organized in one cast. To the lovers of a good play, not one on the list this season will appeal more strongly than "Human Hearts" Seat sale Friday

James K. Hackett.

James K. Hackett and the romantic drama are apparently inseparable, if one may judge from what the New York critics have had to say about his revival of the famous Anthony Hope romance "The Prisoner of Zenda" Essentially a romantic actor, Mr. Hackett is endowed with a magnificent stage presence, and this, together with his great ability as a swordsman, make him easily the leading romantic actor of this country. Mr. Hackett, supported by a splendid company, will be seen at the Faurot on next Tuesday evening.

Francis Wilson.

The company to be seen in the support of Francis Wilson in his great success, "When Knights Were Bold," by the English playwright, Charles Marlow, numbers over forty odd people Since its original production in New York, in August, 1907, where it was seen at the Carrick Theatre, for five months, there have been but a few changes made in the cast. Those who will be seen in the leading parts are Clarence Handysides, George Irving, Victor Benoit, J. C. Robison, John E. Trevor, Augustin Duncan, Edna Bruns, Helene Montrose, Margherita Sargent, Bertha Mann, Edith Lennox and the daughter of the comedian, Miss Adelaide Wilson. The part of Sir Guy de Vere, is said to be the best that Mr. Wilson has essayed in a long time and the play is three acts of uproarious fun. Charles Frohman will present Francis Wilson in "When Knights Were Bold," at the Faurot on Thursday evening, March 18

The engagement of Miss Ethel Barrymore to Mr. Russell Griswold Colt, of Providence, R. I., and member of a wealthy and prominent New England family is announced today. They may be spliced within the next two weeks

ANNABEL:
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A WORD FOR CENTRAL.

Dr Robert Dwyer, of the University of Toronto, an expert in nervous diseases, says that the work of the telephone girl is one of the most terrible occupations known to the American working women. He says: "After these girls have served the company four or five years, and have got married and left the service, they turn out badly in their domestic relations. They break down nervously, and have nervous children, and it is a loss to the community. I think it is the duty of the state to legislate in matters of this kind. It is this sort of thing that is laying the foundations of the asylums" Dr James M. Anderson, another nerve specialist, is quoted as saying, "I have treated a number of telephone girls, mostly for eye troubles, headache and nervous strain. After a service of three or four years I would expect to find an exhausted womanhood" After hearing these experiences, what man or woman is there who will not blush at the thought of any mistreatment of these hard working young women? Their work is trying to a degree that the public does not understand. Let us not in our haste place all the blame on them when the service is faulty.

Many people will claim that the testimony of the doctors quoted above, is an argument for debarring all women from industry. But the telephone girl is working because she has to live, and that knocks that argument flat. As the social system will not be changed in a day, it might be well for us to think of resolutions to treat the hello girl more considerately. Exhausted womanhood after "three or four years," and for a few dollars per week—bread money—it is unthinkable. Patrons of the telephone, until reform comes, can help the girl at the other end of the wire by refraining from abuse and venting anger for poor service upon the real cause of the trouble.—Pittsburg Press

Good Cough Medicine for Children.

The season for coughs and colds is now at hand and too much care cannot be used to protect the children. A child is much more likely to contract diphtheria or scarlet fever when he has a cold. The quicker you cure his cold the less the risk. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the sole reliance of many mothers, and few of those who have tried it are willing to use any other. Mrs. F. F. Starcher, of Ripley, W. Va., says: "I have never used anything other than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for my children, and it has always given good satisfaction." This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given as confidently to a child as to an adult. For sale by all druggists.

Probably Not.

"Thackery wrote a novel without a hero, which was quite an achievement in its way."

"It was so. I wonder if he could have written a musical comedy without a naval lieutenant?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

CROUP

THERE IS NOTHING that strikes terror to the hearts of parents more than to be awakened in the night by the ringing cough which accompanies an attack of croup. The child may retire with nothing but a slight cold and a few hours later the family be aroused by the ominous symptoms. Every home where there are small children should be prepared for these sudden attacks, as prompt treatment is necessary. Do not experiment with remedies of doubtful value, but get

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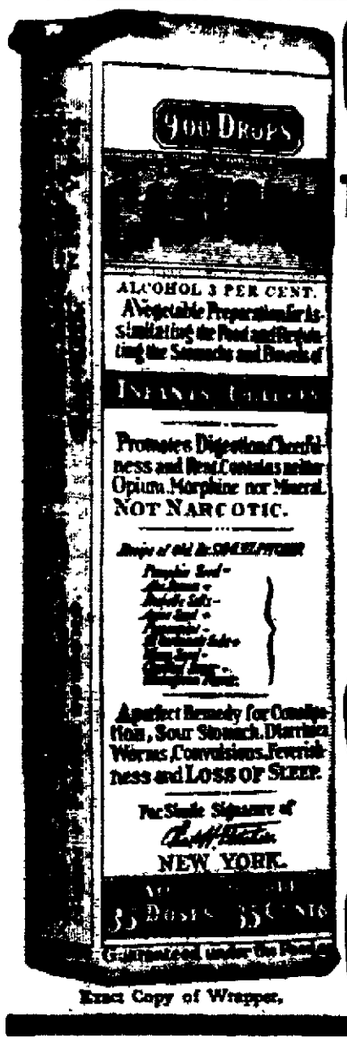
Mr Homer Krohn, of Lisbon, Iowa, in a letter to the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy praises this medicine for what it has done for his children He says: "It has not only saved them once but many a time. Only two weeks ago my boy had the croup so bad in the night that had it not been for having a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house he would have choked before a doctor could have gotten to the house. It is a medicine that no one should be without at any time." It is pleasant to take and many children like it.

"We guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says W. M. Parish, Palmerston, Ontario "Out of the many bottles sold last winter not one was returned We recommend it especially for children with croup." Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its prompt cures of coughs, colds and croup When given as soon as the child becomes hoarse an attack of croup may be averted This medicine is entirely free from narcotics or injurious substances of any kind and may be given to the little ones with absolute safety.

Attacks of croup are most likely to occur during the early winter months, and every family with young children should be prepared for it. Keep a bottle of CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY in your home. It only costs a quarter, large size 50 cents. Your druggist sells it.



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WHY NOT CHANGE THE DATE?

The sentiment in favor of changing the date of the inauguration to a more seasonable, or at least a more reliable period, will receive increased impetus from the experiences of March 4 last. The big parade was spoiled, tens of thousands of patriotic citizens were disappointed, upwards of a million dollars wasted and the health of many endangered.

As the Chicago Evening Post reminds us, there is no great reason of state why a president and a vice president might not as well be inducted into office on April 30 as on March 4. It would require legislative action of necessity, but there should be no serious difficulty in accomplishing a change so eminently sane and desirable. A somewhat similar case occurred in England where, the birthday of King Edward falling on November 9, it was determined to celebrate on May 24, Queen Victoria day, in order that all the people might have a better chance to turn the holiday to account.

One president of the United States died as the result of a cold contracted at his inauguration, a senator met a like fate and many less exalted have no doubt suffered severely. Surley this is a matter where common sense should prevail —Louisville Courier-Journal

"My three year old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orno Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wolkush, Casimer, Wis Sold at Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Keltner, Prop.

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FORTY-THREE CHARGES AGAINST CIGAR MAKERS

For Illegal Employment of Child Labor in Their Factories.

PLEA OF GUILTY ENTERED BY ALL.

Conditions Show That Sympathy Accounted for Their Employment.

Employment of minors under 14 years of age is strictly forbidden.

Schooling certificates for all minors between 14 and 16 years of age are required. On termination of employment of miner, school certificate shall be returned to person who issued the same.

Boys under 16 and girls under 18 years of age must not be employed more than 8 hours in one day, nor more than 48 hours in one week.

Boys under 16 and girls under 18 years of age must not be employed later than 6 o'clock in the evening nor earlier than 7 o'clock in the morning.

No minor under 16 years of age can be employed at dangerous machinery or where its health will be injured or morals depraved.

No female under the age of 16 years shall be employed at the tobacco trades nor at employment compelling her to remain standing constantly.

The above is a brief of the child labor law passed by the general assembly of Ohio which became effective July 1, 1908.

This morning forty-three affidavits were filed against the Deisel-Wemmer and Tigner's Son Cigar companies, charging them with violations of various provisions of the above laws.

The Deisel-Wemmer Company were made defendants in 38 separate charges, and when summoned, appeared immediately and entered a plea of guilty before Justice Dempster. The court assessed a fine of $25 and costs in each case, which made a total of $950 in fines.

The William Tigner's Son Company was the defendant in five cases and entered a plea of guilty when arraigned. The court assessed the same fine, $25 and costs in each case, which is the minimum provided in the statute.

The affidavits against each company varied in their technical causes, some charging the employment of girls under the age of 18 years and permitting them to work more than 8 hours a day, and others for employing boys and girls under the age of 16 in the tobacco business.

The affidavits against the Deisel-Wemmer Company were signed by Elizabeth Schauss, a member of the visiting board appointed by Chief Inspector Morgan, of the department of workshops and factories, and those against the Tigner Co. by Ella Hass, who is also a member of the visiting board.

When the inspectors visited the factories they were accorded every courtesy, by the respective managers of the companies, and in that manner their work was made easy.

While the inspection was in progress the Deisel-Wemmer Co. discharged a number of employees who fell under the ruling of the law, and as a result mothers and sisters have appeared at the company's office begging the managers to take those discharged back. The managers of each company admit that they have violated the law, but in every case state that it has been through sympathy that they have done so and their statement is supported by the conditions resulting from the discharge of a number of employes.

In one case an affidavit was filed against a girl under 18 years of age, who was working at the Tigner factory, and it was found upon investigation that she was earning $18 a week and supported her mother and four little children.

Similar conditions exist at the Deisel-Wemmer factory, but now each concern says that they cannot allow sympathy to enter into the employment of help.

This rigid enforcement of the law will work a hardship in many cases that but few can realize.

In addition to the above conditions, in many instances girls and boys apply for positions and state their ages a trifle above the actual age, and their appearance does not justify doubt.

The affair is one of regret to the tobacco companies and perhaps of heavier loss to those benefitted by the earnings of those who have been necessarily discharged, but that the law in its general effect is beneficial to the young, at least as to their future there can be no question.

To School Fund.

The fines assessed in the above cases will be placed in the school fund as provided by the child labor statutes.

WILL GO TO DAYTON

Gem City Won W. O. W. State Convention for Year 1911.

FINE BANQUET CLOSED EVENT

Here and Delegates Have Returned to Their Respective Homes.

Dayton succeeded in winning the next convention of the Woodmen of the World. Toledo and Springfield did not have sufficient support to win out from the Gem City and the W. O. W. head camp, Jurisdiction O, will convene in Dayton during the month of April, 1911.

The report of the mileage and per diem committee reported and their report was accepted.

One of the features of the closing hours of the convention was the presentation of a beautiful jewel to head Consul J. F. Weigel, as he takes his title of Past Head Consul.

E. L. Bogue, of Fremont, made the presentation speech and Mr. Weigel acknowledged it in a few fitting words.

The final business was all wound up late in the evening and the convention as a business session was over. A few hours were taken for rest before the banquet, and at eight o'clock the delegates and officers assembled in the hall once more, and partook of an elegant banquet, which was enlivened with many impromptu speeches, and the congeniality which is a part of most lodge gatherings. The delegates began leaving the city last night and today there are only a few left. Each and everyone expressed himself well pleased with their reception and entertainment while in the city, and carry away with them a pleasant memory of Lima.

A guaranteed cough remedy is Bees Laxative Cough Syrup. For coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, hoarseness and all bronchial affections. Best for children because it is quick to relieve and tastes good. Gently laxative. Sold at Red Cross Drug Store. mar-3m

ANOTHER HERO DIES IN WRECK.

Monroe, La., March 11.—As a result of the train wreckers the south bound express on the Arkansas Louisiana and Gulf Railroad was derailed twenty miles north of this city shortly before midnight last night. Engineer McKonkel was instantly killed and Fireman J. B. Owen was seriously hurt. No passengers were among the injured.

An investigation showed that a switch had been thrown and spiked while the signal light had been turned so as to show white.

The train was bound from Little Rock to Monroe, and was traveling at a rapid rate.

HILDEGARDE:
Gold Medal Flour pleases the cook. FREDERICK.

HIS WIFE DROVE DULUTH MEAT DEALER TO IT.

In the hope that all men may profit by his experience and take heed thereof, Geo. M. Beck, who lives in 807 3rd street, E., and whose business is in 230 2nd street, W., Duluth, Minn., makes public his experience which we give below, believing it will be gratefully received by all as a relief to their present subjection. He says: "I do not think it would be fair to the Rheumaline Remedies if I did not tell my fellow sufferers what this wonderful medicine has done for me in such a short time. I am only sorry I did not begin the treatment a week sooner for then I would have had one week less of torture. I went to the drug store on a Friday afternoon on crutches with my left foot swollen to nearly twice its natural size and so painful I could not bear the weight of it on the floor. Except one week that foot has been that way for two months. On that day my right foot was beginning to swell and pain me in the same way, and when I got home it was swollen so it burst open the shoe lace when I untied my shoe, and as soon as my shoe was off, it puffed up almost as large as the other. I thought I was in for a siege of suffering, as I had no faith in the medicine but I took it according to directions and at half-past nine o'clock I went to sleep and slept all night the first night. I had not been able to sleep for nearly a week and I've been sleeping good every night since and feeling better every day. I have not felt as well in over two months and I have not got as much relief from all the medicine I've taken in two months as I have from five days of the Rheumaline Treatment, and I'm getting well, and have got relief quicker than I ever thought I would. My wife drove me to it, for I didn't believe enough in your advertisements to want to try Rheumaline. I had tried so much, but she begged me to try Rheumaline. I'm glad I did. Refer anyone to me and I'll be glad to tell them all about my case and what Rheumaline has done." You don't have to believe what you read here; write Mr. Beck, he'll be glad to tell you more about his case. When you receive his reply, go to Hunter Bros.' drug store and procure Rheumaline. It cures rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia, gout and kidney, liver, bladder, stomach and blood troubles caused by uric acid. Rheumaline Capsules stop pain immediately. Rheumaline Tablets relieve constipation. Get Rheumaline at once. It removes the cause.

INFIRMARY BOARD

And Party Royally Banquetted by Supt. Frauenfelter Today.

OCCASION OF MONTHLY VISIT.

Institution Shows Care Taken and Excellent Management Given.

The county board of infirmary directors composed of Messrs. T. B. Bowersock, E. B. Manahan and I. B. Crider, made their regular monthly inspection of the institution today, and had as their guests L. J. Keppler, representatives of the press, Misses Ella Mackenzie and Mayme Duggan. The party arrived at the institution at 10.30 o'clock and were shown all through the buildings before the dinner hour. The interior of the building shows the careful hand of Mrs. Fraunfelter and presents a neat appearance. In the storage of bedding the party were shown fully 100 comforts which have been made this winter for future use. At the present time there are 91 inmates of the institution and all report that they are satisfied with their surroundings and the treatment accorded them by Superintendent Fraunfelter and his estimable wife.

One of the interesting features of the management is the smoked and salt meat storage, which provides a bountiful supply of good things for the table. In the basement Mrs. Fraunfelter has a fruit and canned goods storage, which affords all of the delicacies which any one could desire. Every two weeks fresh meat is butchered and the plant is equipped with a cold storage apartment.

After making the rounds of the institution, the party sat down to a table, which groaned with the weight of delicious food, and at this point interest was centered in the dinner, which occupied an hour's time, the party ceasing only when nature demanded rest, as it was impossible to more than sample the large variety of viands, of which there was no choice, everything being tempting.

The board complimented Mr. Fraunfelter upon his excellent management and the entire party were thankful to Mrs. Fraunfelter for the dinner.

Several years ago a former board had plans drawn for a veranda to extend across the entire front of the infirmary building, but did not proceed with the erection of the same. This improvement is a much needed one as there is no veranda of any description around the building. The present board will endeavor to co-operate with the commissioners and have the improvement completed.

A full equipment of fire escapes have been put into place, and even though the building was constructed in 1874, it will compare favorably with any modern institution of its character.

TRIED TO ECONOMIZE

Young Man from Ohio City is Lying in Hospital as Result.

JUMPED FROM MOVING TRAIN

And Reached Ground Head First Receiving Bad Cuts and Bruises.

Last night about twelve o'clock Bennett's ambulance was called to the office of Dr. Bert Hibbard and removed a young man by the name of Lawrence Cline to the city hospital.

It developed that young Cline had come from Ohio City with a companion, and the boys being rather short of funds, decided to beat their way. They were successful in evading the officials on the C. & E. train, which is due here about midnight, and when they reached Metcalf street young Cline thought the train had slowed down sufficiently to allow their escape, fearing to continue to the station because they might be detected. He jumped, but his companion had not the hardihood to follow. He stayed on the train until the station was reached and then went back along the track to meet his companion. He found him lying just where he had fallen, and he was just beginning to recover consciousness when the other boy returned. His face was cut all over, hardly an inch without a scratch, and a deep cut on the forehead. His clothes were torn, his coat entirely off and the boy's body was covered with bruises. The doctor was called to the hospital this morning as the nurses stated he had spent a very delirious night, and seemed in rather a serious condition. The fact that he struck the ground with his head may cause more serious developments than were first thought by his physician.

CUT ANNOUNCED IN TIN PRICES.

New York, March 11.—Unofficial reports were made here today that prices for tin plates, which with wire products and steel rails have remained unchanged since the new price policy for steel products was adopted, have been cut 25 to 30 cents a box, which is equivalent to $5 and $6 a ton.

THIRD OPERATION PREVENTED

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Chicago, Ill.—"I want to tell you what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me. I was so sick that two of the best doctors in Chicago said I would die if I did not have an operation. I had already had two operations, and they wanted me to go through a third one. I suffered day and night from inflammation and a small tumor, and never thought of seeing a well day again. A friend told me how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had helped her, and I tried it, and after the third bottle was cured." — MRS. ALVENA STERLING, 11 Langdon Street, Chicago, Ill.

If you are ill do not drag along at home or in your place of employment until an operation is necessary, but build up the feminine system, and remove the cause of those distressing aches and pains by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs.

For thirty years it has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively restored the health of thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration. Why don't you try it?

THE SPORT WORLD

It Is Discipline.

What makes a championship base ball team?

Is it heavy sluggers or lightning fielders or is it an invincible pitching corps?

Neither of the three.

Of course all these qualities combine to make a winning team but it is not possible for any team to win if there is not discipline among the players.

"Discipline," says a big league manager, "will do more to win games than a team of heavy sluggers or fast fielders working in discord."

This is to a great extent true. That one word, discipline, takes in everything that goes to make up a winning team.

Discipline is nothing else than organization and the team that has none of this in its makeup has no more chance of winning a pennant or running up close with the leaders than an African has of teaching mathematics to a class in the seventh grade. Not as much and that is going some on a declaration.

There are teams in every league in the country today with high-class players, leaders in their respective departments, but who are not winning half their games and why?

They have not discipline.

Their teams are not organized.

If they were, you would not find the pennant races confined to a couple of teams who have a cinch on either first or second place while the other six clubs are battling to keep out of the cellar, as they are now.

The Detroit Tigers won the pennant in the American league last year because Hughey Jennings' word was law and the men under him obeyed his every command without reluctance.

It was the same with Chicago. Frank Chance was the master spirit on that club, and, although hampered by injuries in mid-season, the club ascended upward for the reason that Chance's instructions were followed to the letter and consequently there was organization and team work.

Portsmouth Twirlers.

Only one of the twelve twirlers under reserve by Portsmouth has a berth assured, Johns. Johns with a first division club would have been considered one of the three best pitchers in the league last year and Doyle is expecting him to be a star this season. Seven of the other eleven will have to go. Johns, or Backman, his real name, will not report until after the close of school at Notre Dame. He has been coached by Cec Ferguson, the Boston National league pitcher, formerly with New York, and is expected to have even a better season than last.

Loses Pickney.

Portsmouth loses Pickney, the recruit from the Wisconsin State league who was drafted by Toledo and then turned over to Portsmouth. Armour at Toledo has decided to give Pickney a trial and he will go south with the A. A. bunch. That leaves Manager Doyle at Portsmouth with only twelve pitchers.

Digger Fans Happy.

Things are looking pretty sweet to the Diggers fans these days, or at least, they should be. The club looks far stronger than it was last year in spite of the fact that several of the good ones are no longer in our midst.

Ordinarily a team losing five such players as Tate, Ketter, LaRue, Brown and Burk, might be expected to hit the toboggan from the start and clinch a cellar championship ere the chase is well started. But not the Diggers, if you please.

Last year the club had Luskey and Anderson behind the bat. Now there are in addition to these two clever men, William Johnston, claimed to be superior to either of the other two, and Emmett Reilly, who is at least as good as either Anderson or Luskey in receiving, and is a stronger hitter. Manager O'Day cannot be charged with allowing his club to be weak in the back of the plate.—Marion Mirror.

GEORGIANA:
I don't like your cook book—it doesn't recommend Gold Medal Flour. IMOGENE.

HAIR WHITE AS SNOW

Restored to Natural Color with One Bottle of

WYETH'S SAGE AND SULPHUR HAIR RESTORER

The Only True Hair Restorer, Tonic and Rejuvenator

ALMOST A MIRACLE

My hair was as white as snow when I commenced using Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Restorer. One bottle restored my hair to its natural dark brown color. As I am now 70 years old, I consider the result most remarkable. It is an agreeable and refreshing hair dressing, keeping the hair soft and glossy, without being in the least greasy or sticky.

WM. WESTLAKE.
210 West Main Street, Rochester, N. Y.

Why hesitate when WYETH'S SAGE AND SULPHUR HAIR RESTORER **is daily producing just such results?**

After years of study and analysis of the hair, we have been able to produce **an ideal Hair Tonic and Restorer,** which contains an actual constituent of hair, combined with ingredients of recognized merit for treatment of hair and scalp diseases. It makes and keeps the scalp clean and healthy, gives life, strength and lustre to the hair, and **restores faded and gray hair to natural color.**

IT IS NOT A DYE

No matter how long and thick your hair is, WYETH'S SAGE AND SULPHUR HAIR RESTORER will make it longer and thicker. It will remove every trace of dandruff in a few days, stop falling in one week, and start a new growth in from one to three months.

These are facts that have been proven in scores of cases. WYETH'S SAGE AND SULPHUR HAIR RESTORER is guaranteed to do all that it is claimed to do or the price will be refunded.

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TWO DOUBLE TEAMS

From Cincinnati Stepped Into Ten Highest Scores Made

SINCE BOWLING TOURNEY OPENED.

Interesting Events of Today Started Early in Day.

Pittsburg, March 11.—Two double teams from Cincinnati today advanced into the ten highest scores made since the opening of the congress. Seimer and Garden are in third place with a score of 1190, and Pfeffer and Muller are eighth with 1166. The individual events, ten in number, were started at 2 p. m.

Pittsburg, March 11.—Today's session of the American Bowling association started at 7:30 a. m. and will continue until after midnight tonight.

Today's program calls for 6 doubles, ten singles and five five-men team events. Today's is the heaviest day for matches since the tournament opened February 27th and bowlers from Washington, D. C., Kentucky, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Indiana, New York and Wisconsin will take part.

Three individual matches were rolled first as follows:

Dausey, Cincinnati, 490.
Isham, Cincinnati, 546.
Townsend, Cincinnati, 511.

The high scores in the first double event were:

Lewis-Stough, Canton, O., 1152.
Deal-Kaufman, Canton, O., 1121.
Haager-Carson, Louisville, 1073.
Shaffer-Bowman, Canton, O., 1067.
Pierce-Deal, Canton, O., 1039.
Leitner-Yaley, Canton, O., 1034.
Neiman-Heins, Aurora, Ills., 1033.

High scores in second double event were:

Fields—Brosnan, Washington, 1154.
Plummer-Feebles, Cincinnati, 1149.
Dittmeir-Kuhlenbeck, Louisville, Ky., 1124.
Bersi-Karch, Erie, Pa., 1071.
Bachman-Smith, Cincinnati, 1051.

High scores of third double event were:

W. C. Frenchnecht-H. Frenchnecht, Louisville, 1107.
Ingram-Shymanski, Louisville, 1101.
Kotte-Pflinger, Cincinnati, 1090.
Kokomore-Dink, Louisville, 1084.
Burg-Brecker, Cincinnati, 1065.
Votel-Oldensmith, Bellevue, Ky., 1038.

High scores in fourth event are:

Pffer-Muller, Cincinnati, 1166.
Dolsy-Berling, Cincinnati, 1136.
Grim-Gelderoch, Cincinnati, 1132.
Fraub-Riehle, Cincinnati, 1125.
Delois-Metz, Cincinnati, 1119.
Strottman-Rothert, Cincinnati, 1111.
Isham-Townsend, Cincinnati, 1079.

High scores of the fifth event are:

Siemer-Garden, Cincinnati, 1190.
Zingler-Pflugger, Cincinnati, 1115.
Owen Kiesling, Louisville, 1016.
Davis-Bruddison, Louisville, 1091.
Creasy-Kern, Jr., Cincinnati, 1081.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Cures backache and irregularities that if neglected might result in Bright's disease or diabetes. Sold at Enterprise Drug Store. M. M. Keltner, Prop.

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Order Gold Medal Flour next time. FELICITY.

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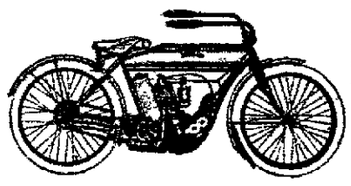

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This world is good and kind,
In spite of what folks say,
Just bear that fact in mind.
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For Peter's appetite try baking powder biscuits made of Gold Medal Flour. MARIA.

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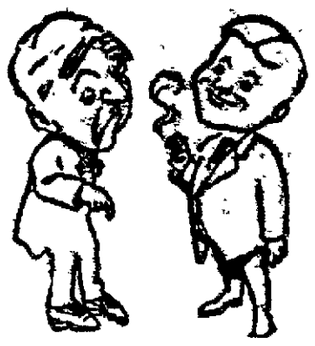

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WEATHER—FAIR TONIGHT.

Washington, March 11.—Ohio: Fair tonight, increasing cloudiness Friday.

The Republican bosses were not willing that the Republican senate should let the initiative and referendum resolution go to a vote of the people. Next year the people will vote on the record of the Republican bosses and the Republican majority in the legislature.

From any point of view, no matter whether the Standard Oil company is guilty or not guilty of rebating as charged by the government, the instruction of Judge Anderson that the jury return a verdict of "not guilty" had a larger element of justice in it than the twenty-nine million dollar fine Judge Landis imposed against the company on the same charge. In fact the law of equalization, even if the company is guilty as charged, would necessitate making Judge Anderson's instructions read. "Not guilty, minus a whole lot more," in order to strike a fair average of penalty for the crime

A rather striking cartoon published in the Republican-Gazette this morning shows Roosevelt as rushing with a big stick to prevent the destruction by legislation of a "monument to the American-Japanese friendship." Below that part of the inscription are the following words:

"Erected by Uncle Sam at great expense of labor."

The cartoonist therein made a serious and inexcusable blunder. He should have told the truth by chiseling in the following:

Erected by Uncle Sam at great expense to American labor.

THEY ARE SATISFIED.

Boss Cox is satisfied with the work of the legislature. It kept Cincinnati from being probed.

Senator Burton is satisfied with the legislature It gave him Foraker's goga, and he would be an ingrate if he didn't express appreciation, no matter what else the legislature did.

DEFEAT OF THE I. AND R.

Responsibility for the defeat of the initiative and referendum resolution must be shouldered by the Republican bosses and their tools in the state senate.

It follows as a natural sequence to boss rule. Such senators as Mather, of Akron, the Republican leader, Patterson, of Ashland, Baker and Johnson, of Cincinnati, who fought the I. and R. resolution openly; the three Burton Republican senators from Cleveland, who joined with them in silent acquiescence, and the four others who helped make up the eleven Republican votes in opposition to the resolution, would scarcely relish the idea of having their acts of omission and commission during this most extraordinary session referred to a vote of the people.

The defeat of all taxation measures; the defeat of probe resolutions, the brake put on the governor's authority to investigate rumors relating to state departments and institutions by creating a hybrid committee of which the governor could name but one, with no power on earth except courtesy to compel the lieutenant governor to name the other, instead of giving the governor full power to ferret out evils while he is being held responsible for the administration of state affairs; the defeat of the bill to have an authentic inventory made of the state's multi-million dollars worth of property; and other things done or left undone might be exceedingly embarrassing to the Republican bosses and the majority in this legislature if the people could get a whack at them through the initiative and referendum.

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Directions with each Vial in Five Languages.
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14.	Salt Rheum, Eruptions, Erysipelas	25
15.	Rheumatism, or Rheumatic Pains	25
16.	Fever and Ague, Malaria	25
17.	Piles, Blind or Bleeding, External, Internal	25
18.	Ophthalmia, Weak or Inflamed Eyes	25
19.	Catarrh, Influenza, Cold in Head	25
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27.	Kidney Disease, Gravel, Calculi	25
28.	Nervous Debility, Vital Weakness	1.00
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33.	Chronic Congestions, Headaches	25
77.	Grippe, Hay Fever and Summer Colds	25

A small bottle of Pleasant Pellets, fits the vest pocket, sold by druggists, or sent on receipt of price.

Medical Book sent free.

HUMPHREYS' HOMEO. MEDICINE CO., Corner William and Ann Streets, New York.

TALKS ON ADVERTISING

XII.—Considering the Ad. In Its Parts

By Henry Herbert Huff

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"Mr. Business Man, if you wanted to learn how an alarm clock is constructed you would very likely take it apart. Let us examine the advertisement in the same way. We can get it together again, as there are but four pieces. I was saying in my last talk that the advertisement is an application of the laws of salesmanship. Consequently the same elements will appear in it—**attention, interest** and **desire, convincing the will** and **the resolve to buy.** Our next four talks will take these up in order, discussing each at some length.

"It is clear that the work of the advertisement is to **influence the minds** of possible buyers. That influence which counts for most is the kind that leads people right into the store to buy. Much advertising interests and yet fails to make sales. **The ad. that counts is the one that pulls money from the reader's pockets.**

"As with the clock, all parts must work in harmony to insure success. None should be missing or defective. It is not sufficient merely to obtain the interest of your readers; it is not enough to create a desire on their part for the article or even to get them to resolve to purchase it. The really good ad. does not loose hold on the reader until he actually **buys** the article.

"If you were to examine the ads. of some successful merchant you would find each a **bundle of reasons.** People are never ready to part with their money unless convinced that they will receive full value for it. Because of this the ad. writer ought to study logic. Today more than ever before cold reasoning is more forceful than the eloquence that sways the masses. The most successful retail ad. is that one which presents the **best arguments** to the buyers in the **most effective way.** The best store gets no measure of success until it has been demonstrated to the buying public that it is the best. It is not sufficient to make claims. **Buyers want proof.** Every one when he goes to market has a great big **WHY** before his eyes. He wants to know why he should possess a particular article; why he should buy a certain make; why he should purchase it of the dealer in question. If all of these questions are satisfactorily answered in the ad. it is a good one.

"You want a name for these 'why' answers. Call them **selling points.** To be explicit, a selling point is (1) any reason for possessing a certain commodity, (2) any argument that helps to show its superiority over similar ones or (3) any advantage gained by buying it of a particular dealer. To be brief, let us name them: (1) Selling points of **DESIRE,** (2) selling points that **CONVINCE THE WILL** and (3) selling points that **MAKE THE SALE.**

"The difference in salesmen is in their ability to pick out and present effectively to the buyer the selling points of their goods. Selling points of merchandise may be learned (1) from the maker's catalogue or circulars, (2) from traveling salesmen, (3) from the writer's own observation and (4) from the experience of his acquaintances who have used the articles.

"Practice picking out the selling points of different articles in your stock. Think of selling goods in terms of logic.'

"In our next talk we go at that all important problem, 'So the ad. will be read.'"

LINE 451.

In the general appropriation bill as it finally passed the legislature in line 451, to-wit: "Salaries of two elevator attendants, repairs and expenses $1,440."

This amendment in the appropriation bill was made by the Republican majority of the senate finance committee transferring this line from the adjutant general to the supreme court. The Republican majority in the senate refused by a strict party vote to change it and the house was compelled to concur or hold up the entire appropriation bill. The amendment was made for the purpose of cutting off two men from the payroll of a Democratic adjutant general and holding the jobs of two Republicans at $720 per year each under appointment by the state supreme court.

It was in support of this piece of petty politics that the marshal and law librarian of the supreme court sent a three-page typewritten letter on stationery of the supreme court to Republican members of the house, from which this extract, relating to the refusal of the house finance committee to make the transfer, is quoted:

"When this adverse action of the house committee was reported to the court I was instructed to again present the request of the court to the General Assembly, and the senate finance committee has since amended the appropriation bill so as to place the elevators in the department of the supreme court. This action you are respectfully and earnestly asked to support with your personal and official good will," etc., etc.

What do you think of the supreme court of Ohio which stoops so far below the dignity of a high tribunal as to demand the privilege of making two political appointments that pay $720 per year each and instructing the state's $2,500 law librarian to lobby the thing through the legislature?

What may you expect when the Harris lap-over appointees foisted on Governor Harmon by the senate at the beginning of the extraordinary session, rush into the supreme court with pitiful appeals to save their political scalps

STREET CLEANING.

The letting of street cleaning on competitive bids means that more than likely some fellow from the outside will get the contract, possibly at a little lower rate than it is now costing the city, and to make it profitable the contractor will employ alien labor at low wages, or slight his work wherever possible Every man now employed on this work by the board of public service is a small taxpayer, and to endanger his livelihood by introducing a system of street cleaning that will in all likelihood turn the work over to a crew of men whose names are so unpronouncable that ther will wear numbers to designate them, is neither good policy or good citizenship on the part of the "Big Five" who are engineering the deal.

Public sentiment is overwhelmingly against the change, just as it was opposed to a renewal of a lighting contract with the Ohio Electric Railway Co., and it probably will be given the same cold bluff in the matter of street cleaning, as it got on the lighting question, but there is this consolation—the people, the folks who make men councilmen, when the public utility corporations don't beat them to it, will have their turn when November election day comes.

Cheap foreign labor, and high priced contracts to an electric lighting corporation do not make a platform that will be popular with those who vote at least not in Lima.

STEAL BOOK CASES.

Hancock county has reached the stage of advancement where it is necessary for the county commissioners to purchase some steel book cases to protect records against destruction by fire, and the Courier is seeing things, and for good reasons too.

Concerning the purchase of the needed cases that excellent democratic journal says:

"The Courier has heretofore called attention to steel book cases and the alleged combination which exists between those who manufacture them for the purpose of keeping the selling prices at a high level. There are many circumstances and incidents known that tend to prove that such a combination does exist and that every county and city which has purchased such cases in the past two or three years, has been compelled to pay a great deal more than they were actually worth. To put it plain and blunt, the evidence shows that the steel book case makers have been playing a hold-up game and forcing counties and cities to pay them inordinate profits on their wares.

"It has become necessary for Hancock county to purchase some steel book cases for use in the court house. The need of these cases has become so strong that their purchase is imperative. But before any bids are accepted or cases purchased the commissioners should make every effort to protect the county from the rapacity of the combine, and not permit the tax payers to be held up and plundered.

"It would, before any bids are opened, considered, or accepted, be a good plan to require every person who submits a bid for furnishing steel book cases to file with the prosecuting attorney an affidavit of substantially the following effect.

"First. That the manufacturers or manufacturer of the steel book case proposed to be furnished is not in any trust or combine.

"Second. That there is no combination of any kind between the manufacturers or sales agents of the steel cases proposed to be furnished.

"Third That the bid submitted has not been exhibited to any other bidder and the price and conditions of the proposal have not been communicated to any other bidder by word of mouth or otherwise

"Fourth. That the bidder does not expect to share in the profits of any other bidder, either directly or indirectly.

"Fifth That the bid is submitted in good faith and for the sole benefit of the bidder or the person, firm or company he represents and the profits arising from the sale are not to be divided with any person, firm or company.

"This affidavit should be drawn by the prosecuting attorney, sworn to by the person submitting the bid and filed with and made a part of the proposal for furnishing the steel book cases.

"If this plan is pursued and it is found afterward that there was a combination, then the persons making the affidavits can be prosecuted for perjury."

WILL PAY A DOLLAR

To the First Person Who Files the Correct Answer

IN THE MISSING WORD CONTEST.

For Thirty Days This Distribution of Coin Will Continue.

An interesting contest will be begun in Saturday's edition of the Times-Democrat, and, continuing daily for a month in which will be given an opportunity to the industrious and observant reader of advertisements to earn a dollar each time that he is the first person to correctly report four missing words in our "Missing Word Contest."

One entire page of the Times-Democrat will be devoted to the publication of a number of cards of Lima merchants. There will be 61 advertisements upon the page. Each day there will be a word omitted from four of these advertisements. Each day during the thirty days that this page is published, there will be one dollar paid for the first correct list furnished us of the words omitted.

All contestants must file their answers in writing after nine o'clock on the day following the publication.

The answers must contain the words missing and the name of the advertisement from which they are missing

No answers will be received by telephone.

Should there be any day upon which there are no correct answers at all the missing words there will be a reward of two dollars paid for the correct answer of the missing words on the following day.

The "Missing Word Contest" will also run through the Tuesday edition of the semi-weekly Times-Democrat, and the same reward will be paid to the lucky finder of the missing word.

All answers must be filed at the counting room of the Times-Democrat after nine o'clock a. m. of the day following the publication, and the hour of the receipt of each answer will be marked upon each envelope as it is handed in, so that the priority of any duplicate answers may be easily established.

Wood's Liver Medicine is a liver regulator which brings quick relief to sick headache, constipation, biliousness and other symptoms of liver disorders. Particularly recommended for Jaundice, Chills, Fever, Malaria. The $1.00 size contains 2½ times as much as the 50c size. Sold at Red Cross Drug Store. mar-3m

HAY MAKERS.

There will be a special meeting of all Red Men at P. H. T. Improved Order Red Men at their hall this evening for the purpose of signing up petition for Hay Makers' charter. Let there be a good attendance of all those interested. By order of the committee,

C. A. Newcomer,
Clyde F. Williams,
Fred Korteer,
H. L. Risser,

TIREAD:
Gold Medal Flour makes perfect bread
REWENA

TEN YEARS OF ECZEMA

Reports on eczema dating back 10 years show the value of external treatment. Druggist Hunter, of this city, can tell any sufferer what reports he has been getting from patients who used oil of wintergreen, thymol and glycerine in liquid form, as compounded in D. D. D. Prescription. It would be interesting to know whether any person cured as much as 10 years ago has had another touch of the disease.

PIANO FREE!

OVER $6,000 IN PRIZES

TRY FOR ONE OF THESE VALUABLE PRIZES AT ONCE.

READ THE FOLLOWING:

I have come here to make my home permanently and will make all my promises good.

THIS IS ONE OF THE BIGGEST BONA FIDE OFFERS EVER MADE BY A RESPONSIBLE FIRM:

We, and the manufacturers from whom we have bought thousands of pianos during the last twelve years, have decided on a novel plan for further introducing the splendid makes of instruments that we sell, and enabling customers to get better acquainted with our money saving methods.

As is well known we represent makers of high grade pianos and every piano sold by us is a well known instrument. We want you to call and get better acquainted with us, inspect our pianos and investigate our new plan of selling.

In consideration of this we have decided to give away many valuable prizes in this way:

HOW MANY TIMES CAN YOU WRITE "Tony Zender, the Music Man, Sells Only Reliable Pianos."

To the person writing the sentence, "Tony Zender, the Music Man, sells only reliable pianos," the largest number of times on a space one-half the size of a postal card, we will give absolutely free, one $300 piano. This piano can now be seen in our window.

The next one largest number of sentences on a postal card will receive a factory bond for $150, good on the purchase of any new piano in our house and one large art picture.

The next twenty-five cards containing the largest number of sentences will each receive a factory piano bond for $100, good on the purchase of any new piano in our store and one of the large art pictures.

The next fifty cards received with the next largest number of sentences, will receive an $85 bond, good on the purchase of any new piano in our store and one large art picture.

The next fifty largest number of sentences written on the postal card will receive a factory bond for $75, good on the purchase of any new piano in our store and one large art picture.

The next fifty largest number of sentences on the postal card will receive a factory piano bond for $50, good on any new piano in our house and one large art picture.

The next fifty largest number of sentences will receive a factory piano bond for $25, good on any new piano in our house and one large art picture.

ALL PERSONS SENDING IN CARDS WILL RECEIVE A PRIZE.

OUR OFFER

The above rewards will be given by us and the manufacturers. We expect this advertising medium to enable us within a few days to sell as many pianos as would be sold through continuous high priced advertising in this immediate locality in one year. When a teacher wishes to impress a word on the minds of pupils, he often requires them to write the word fifty to one hundred times. We want it impressed upon the music loving public that we sell only reliable pianos. That is why we have adopted this plan and it will mean hard work for the person who receives any of the large rewards. You should not overlook mailing your card at once.

Directions

Take an ordinary postal card and draw a line through the center of the card, that is to say, up and down, or across, so the card is divided equally, it makes no difference which way you divide it. On one half of the card write "Tony Zender, the Music Man, sells only reliable pianos" as many times as you possibly can. On the other half write your name and address plainly, mention "Ad. No. 12" and state how many times you have written the sentence. If you haven't a postal card handy, use a piece of paper the size of a postal card and mail to us.

In case of a tie, competing for any of the above prizes, the value will be divided equally among the tied contestants. All persons sending a list of sentences will be notified of their success on the night of March 15. All cards must be received by noon, March 15.

CONTEST CLOSES MONDAY NOON, 12 O'CLOCK MARCH 15.

TONY ZENDER,

THE MUSIC MAN.

SUCCESSOR TO

THE STARR PIANO CO.

Masonic Temple, West High Street, Lima, Ohio.

WILL MAKE EFFORT

To Double the Amount Offered for U. B. Organ.

It has been only a few weeks since Rev. A. W. Ballinger, of the U. B church received the check from Andrew Carnegie of $1,000 as his part toward the building of a new pipe organ for their house of worship. The congregation went to work immediately and are immensely pleased with the result. Already they have the required $1,000 raised by the members, and they have met with such splendid success that they will endeavor to double that amount. Should they do so, they would be able to purchase an organ the equal of any now in the city, and which would be a great addition to the church edifice.

ATTORNEY COOPER

May Not Represent Henderson and Martin.

Attorney Cooper, who represented Henderson and Martin in their preliminary hearing in mayor's court on the charge of the Yoakum robbery, was in the city today. He stated that it was probable that he would not represent the defendants in the trial, which is set for next Monday, as he had not yet been substantially retained. In case he should not represent the it will be necessary for the court to appoint counsel for the defense, in which case another continuance may be granted for preparation.

The first division of the Baptist Young Ladies' Aid Society will hold a sale of baked goods Saturday, at the Gas office. 0-2t

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST, FOR SALE, ETC.

WANTED.

WANTED—Office Boy We have a position requiring about 30 minutes a day for a bright boy who wants to take a course in bookkeeping or shorthand Any boy that "makes good" will be placed in a permanent position at a good salary as soon as his course is completed. Call at office of Lima Business College, Holmes Block. 0-3t

WANTED— New beginners for piano lessons. Inquire at 232 West Vine street. 0-5t

WANTED—Experienced saleslady at Feldmann & Co. mch 1-tf

WANTED — GIRLS, SIXTEEN YEARS OF AGE AND UPWARD TO LEARN THE CIGAR MAKING TRADE. WILL PAY $3.00 PER WEEK FOR THE FIRST MONTH, $3.50 PER WEEK FOR THE SECOND MONTH; THEREAFTER SO MUCH PER HUNDRED CIGARS. AFTER TRADE HAS BEEN ACQUIRED CAN EARN FROM $8.00 TO $12.00 PER WEEK DEPENDING ENTIRELY ON SKILL AND SPEED OF WORKER. APPLY EITHER FACTORY. THE DEISEL-WEMMER CO. 109-tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—5 room house west North street. Bath room, chandeliers. A cozy little home, $15. The Dunn Co., 331 Holland Block, Both phones. 9-6t

FOR RENT—5-rooms, Forest Ave. $9.00; 7-rooms and barn, Holly St., $12.00; 5-rooms, Oak St., $9.00; 6-rooms, Holly St., $11.00. The Dunn Co., Holland Block. Both phones. 0-6t

FOR RENT—A desirable flat on car line, at corner of Metcalf and Vine streets. Call at The Park Grocery. oc17-tf

FOR RENT—1 very pleasant furnished room, hall entrance. All conveniences, privilege of light housekeeping if desired. Northeast corner Metcalf and Spring streets. th-sat-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Good stout work horses. Enquire E. D. Gast barber shop, No. 108 east Spring street. 9-3t

OIL PROPERTY FOR SALE—24 oil wells, also gas plant in Spencerville, Ohio. For information inquire of J. C. Craig, Bolivar, New York. 9-6t-eod

FOR SALE—Brand new 6-room house, West Side. Strictly modern, furnace, bath room, fire place, hot and cold and city and cistern water, chandeliers, elegantly papered. All modern conveniences and ready to occupy Convenient to car line. A bargain at $2,900. The Dunn Co., 331 Holland; both phones. 613 6-tf

INVESTIGATE TEXAS—Brownsville is a comer. Let us tell you about it. The Dunn Co., 331 Holland block 9-t

FOR TRADE— Automobile runabout, excellent condition. Will take vacant lot The Dunn Co., 331 Holland Block. Both phones. 9-t

Money to Loan

On City and Farm property, within Allen County on most favorable terms and conditions. Long time with privilege of paying off the entire loan in any month. Call at the company's office for full particulars.

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Loan and Building Company,
321 North Main St., Lima, O

WINTER WHEAT FLOUR

Flour may be flour to you—in the sack or the barrel. But the baking proves it. Bake once with

Pride of Lima

and no other milling will be flour to you—at least, not flour you'd care to use. Pride of Lima is always white and light and fine and sweet—not occasionally, but always.

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THE MODEL MILLS, LIMA, OHIO
All good grocers and your dealers sell it

Let the Politicians Note.

When women get the ballot,
Let the politician note,
We'll dope results a week ahead—
There'll be no silent vote
—Cleveland News

Forward, March!

All the frozen snows have melted,
Save in corners in the shade,
Where the bones of old King Winter
In a dwindling pile are laid.
And the bluebird, like a sapphire
From the rainbow's jeweled arch
Hastens northward at the summons,
"Forward! March!"
—New York Press.

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HAS LEFT THE CITY

Rev. Carpenter Went South Today After Farewell Last Night.

CHIEF FIGURES OF RECEPTION

Were Retiring Pastor and His Successor, Rev. Geo. Watson.

Words of regret for the loss of the old pastor, and welcoming greetings to the new intermingled at the farewell and reception held at the Wayne Street Church of Christ last night. Rev. Homer Carpenter and Rev. and Mrs. George Watson were the honor guests, and royally were they complimented by the congregations which attended the reception in such numbers that it was a difficult matter to find a place for every one. The affair was in great measure very informal, and beyond a short program was more of a social in which an opportunity was given the new minister of meeting his flock and to the friends of Rev. Carpenter to have a final word before his leave taking was made.

The program was given in the early part of the evening and was under the direction of Miss Nevada Shook. This included:

Selections—Sunday School Orchestra.

Piano Duet—Mrs. Thatcher and Mrs. Lindesmith.

Violin Solo—Miss Helen Dill.

Vocal Duet—Miss Cleo O'Hara and Aleen Kahle.

Vocal Duet—Mrs. Dean and Mrs. Lindesmith.

Rev. Carpenter introduced Rev. Watson, who made a short talk and offered prayer, both making additional talks later.

Rev. Carpenter in carefully chosen words turned over to his successor the work which he has carried on so faithfully and so well during his pastorate of over a year past, and he spoke in words of highest praise of the excellent help and assistance he received from his congregation, which ably seconded his every effort.

Rev. Watson made a clever response, and each minister endeavored to throw the very evident compliment of the large attendance to the side of the other because of his popularity. The work of building the contemplated new church on west North street, on the lot already owned by the congregation, was also talked of, and the spirit of harmony, and of good fellowship was felt by every one.

This severs Rev. Carpenter's connection with his former church and he leaves today for the southland, where he will rest and recuperate for some months. He takes with him the good wishes and the friendship of those who knew him during his sojourn here, and his work in the city will be a constant reminder of his short stay in Lima.

BOTH KNOWN HERE.

In a suit filed in the Columbus common pleas court Tuesday evening, Margaret E. Carson, of Bellefontaine seeks to be released from a contract made with Robert Young, of this city, whereby she agrees to pay $7,000 for a hotel in Upper Sandusky.

She declares that she made a verbal contract to buy the hotel for $4,000, and that by fraud and deceit she was induced to sign the contract agreeing to pay $7,000.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs quickly, strengthens the lungs and expels colds. Get the genuine in a yellow package. Sold at Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Kelt-ner, Prop.

KING ALFONSO XIII.

Madrid, March 11.—King Alfonso left Algeciras at nine o'clock on the cruiser Extramadura. As the vessel passed Gibraltar all the ships and batteries fired a salute.

On landing at Canta the Military Governor handed him the silver keys of the city. After this ceremony the King mounted a horse and rode with a brilliant escort to Sercalo Camp, where he inspected the troops. The streets were thronged with people and lined with the soldiers of the garrison. The King later breakfasted with the officers.

The feature of the proceedings was the enthusiasm shown for the King by the native tribes. Deputations numbering a thousand riders arrived at Centa yesterday, where they were entertained by General Aldave. A cinematograph show aroused their unlimited enthusiasm. The native chiefs kissed the Spanish King's hand on being presented to him.

TWENTY FIVE YEARS

Of Service as Priest of St. Francis De Sales Catholic Church

IN CINCINNATI ENDED BY DEATH.

Father Quatman No More Except in Hearts of Friends.

Without regaining consciousness Rev. A. M. Quatman, the beloved pastor of St. Francis de Sales church, Cincinnati, last night sank into the sleep that knows no waking. The end was not unexpected, and several days ago the aged priest received the last sacraments and was resigned to his fate. With the dawn of the day it was seen that the last hour had come, and those that he loved best were at his bedside when he breathed his last.

Accompanied by Archbishop Moeller, Rev. Frank Quatman, of Sidney, Ohio, the last surviving brother, arrived at the Good Samaritan Hospital early yesterday. They were later joined by Rev. Louis Tieman, pastor of St. Rose's church, in the East End; Rev. C. F. Gerdes, of Middletown; Rev. Frank Darby, of St. Francis de Sales Church; Rev. Malhoefer, of Lebanon, and Rev. D. J. Bickmeyer, of Norwood, who remained until 6:30 o'clock, when death occurred.

Later a meeting of the trustees of St. Francis de Sales church was held but no definite arrangements for the funeral were made, although it is expected that the obsequies will take place next Saturday and that the burial will follow in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

For months Father Quatman had been a very sick man, and his jubilee, which was to have been celebrated at St. Francis de Sales church, of which he had been the pastor for 25 years, was postponed on account of his illness. A subsequent trip to the warm climate of the South afforded the aged prelate little relief, and about two weeks ago he became an inmate of the Good Samaritan Hospital.

Dr. John Greiwe aspirated him for accumulated fluids, but this only gave him temporary relief. He never regained consciousness after falling asleep Tuesday night, and his death was due to uraemia. The bells of St. Francis de Sales church were tolled last night, announcing to the members of the congregation the sad news of their pastor's death.

ANNIVERSARY EVENT.

A merry crowd of school girls gathered at the home of Miss Blanche McGriff, of 837 east High street, after school to give her a surprise, in honor of her fourteenth birthday anniversary. She received many beautiful presents. The evening was spent at games and music, after which a two-course luncheon was served.

All parted company later, declaring Miss McGriff a cheerful entertainer and wishing her many more happy birthday anniversaries.

Those present were Misses Corine Watt, Martha Wilcox, Gladys Mewharter, Ida Lones, Evelyn North, Lourena Ritchey, Eliza Day, Frances Baff, Eryl Ferguson, Dortha Rex, Rosetta Coate and Thea Oard.

CARTER & CARROLL,

The One Price Cash Store.

Extraordinary Special Sale Women's New Spring Tailor Made Suits

at the Astonishing Low Price of

$15.00.

Commencing at once, we place on sale more than fifty women's Tailor-made Suits, at the extraordinary low price of $15.00 each. The quality of these suits is first class in every respect; the materials are chiffon panamas, all wool French serges, all wool serge, chevron stripes and wool novelty cloths. The colors are old rose, wisteria, new tan, Copenhagen, reseda, sage green, fawn brown, navy and black.

The Coats to these Suits are full length, running from 36 to 42 inches, lined with Belding Brothers guaranteed satin. The skirts are of the very latest up-to-date styles and are all button trimmed. The tailoring and workmanship on the suits are perfect.

Women's Beautiful Foulard Silk Dresses at Special Prices, Only $12.50.

We offer one of this Spring's very popular models in standard quality foulard and messaline silk dresses, made to retail at $19.75 and $25; colors—reseda, tan, rose, French blue, wisteria, mulberry, taupe, etc. This is an unmatchable value, and it will pay you to investigate. Special-sale price only **$12.50.**

A Special Sale of Gloves for Men Only.

We place on special sale, ten dozen Men's high grade Cape Kid and Mocha Gloves, made from first class stock, sewed with Belding Brothers' silk thread; gussetted extension thumb, gussets between each finger, making a practical, serviceable, light weight spring glove. Sizes 7½ to 9, colors, medium browns; regular price $1 and $1.25. Our special sale price **50c the pair.**

CARTER & CARROLL,

Redfern Suits.

The Redfern Suits, for which we have the exclusive sale in this city, are distinguished for perfect fit, neat styles and superior workmanship. They not only meet the requirements of fashion, but the excellent manner in which they are finished lift them above the common place.

They are made up in the latest materials and colorings.

Redfern Suits at $18, $20, $22.50, $25, $27.50, $30.00 and $35.00.

Spring Jackets.

Our new spring Jackets are finding favor with Lima's most particular people. Styles are up-to-date, workmanship all that can be desired and our prices are reasonable.

Spring Jackets at $5.00, $6.00, $7.50, $8.00 and $10.

The Feltz Bros. Dry Goods Co.

1st Door South of Court House.

SOPHOMORE TEAM

Defeated Sidney Y. M. C. A. Lads.

In an interesting basket ball contest last evening at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, the Sophomore team, of the Lima High school defeated the representative team of the Sidney Y. M. C. A., the score resulting 54 to 19. The teams were lined up as follows:

Sidney (19)—Pfeffeile, rf; Berger, lf; Ress, c; Travester, rg; Rickey, lg.

Lima (54)—Taylor, rf; Miller, lf; Etling, c; Ritchey, rg.; Baker, lg; Thompson, sub.

MARALA:
Gold Medal Flour saves worry.
HEPZIBAH.

MASONIC NOTICE.

Special convocation of Lima Chapter No. 49, R. A. M., tomorrow (Friday) evening. Ballot and work on the Royal Arch degree. Special music. Geo. H. Winemiller, High Priest.

Wallace Landis, Secy.

NOTICE.

The Lima Trades and Labor Council will meet tonight in Mitchell hall. All delegates are requested to be present. By order of Cor. Sec.

BAUGHMAN BOYS

At Franklin, Indiana, Yesterday Afternoon.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 11.—Robert and James Baughman, youthful postoffice robbers, whose home is at Piqua, Ohio, were captured at Franklin yesterday and returned to jail here.

After escaping from jail here they made their way to New Bartersville over the Indianapolis Southern Railroad. They stole a horse and buggy there and drove to Providence, where they robbed a store belonging to Roy Rund. Stealing another rig, they drove to Franklin, where they were caught.

They were waiting for a train when arrested and were wearing some of the clothes they had stolen.

A Pleasant Physic.

When you want a pleasant physic give Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets a trial. They are mild and gentle in their action and always produce a pleasant cathartic effect. Call at all drug stores for a free sample.

ATTENTION, TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS.

Those desiring the services of C. F. Woolery, piano tuner, can secure them by calling his residence over either 'phone. New C-1174; Old 1274. m5-6t*

FELL ASLEEP

And Was Touched for $40 Last Evening.

Mike Troxel reported to the police this morning that he had been touched for $40 last evening. Troxel stated that he had taken a few drinks, became weary and fell asleep in a saloon. When he woke up he found that some one had taken $40 from his person. The thief was kind enough to leave $12 in change, for which Mike is thankful.

Frank Bailey and Earl Watt were arraigned this morning for drunkenness and each entered a plea of guilty. The mayor assessed them $1 and costs each.

Sick headache, constipation and biliousness are relieved by Rings Little Liver Pills. They cleanse the system. Do not gripe. Price 25c. Sold at Red Cross Drug Store." mar-3m

NOVEL METHOD

Employed by Italian to Break Up Housekeeping.

Tony Barselli, who lived in "Little Italy" along the Erie railroad tracks in this city, employed a novel method of breaking up housekeeping last night. He came home drunk about midnight, quarreled with his wife and as a conclusion he moved all of the furniture from the house into the yard and burned it up. He then departed for parts unknown.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas H. Fletcher

TONY ZENDER

Has Bought Out the Starr Piano Company.

Tony Zender, the music man, of Kenton, O., for twenty years, has purchased the stock of pianos of the Starr Piano Mfg. Co., Richmond, Ind., is going to add a fine line of other makes of up-to-date pianos; also going to carry a full line of talking machines and sheet music and everything found in a first class music store. He has come here to make his home permanently and wants you all to call and inspect his goods.

For Diseases of the Skin.

Nearly all diseases of the skin such as eczema, tetter, salt rheum and barbers' itch, are characterized by an intense itching and smarting, which often makes life a burden and disturbs sleep and rest. Quick relief may be had by applying Chamberlain's Salve. It allays the itching and smarting almost instantly. Many cases have been cured by its use. For sale by all druggists.

USE OUR MONEY

1908---TO PAY YOUR BILLS----1908

Start the New Year with a clear record by paying off all these small bills and owe but one. We loan from Five Dollars to One Hundred Dollars on all kinds of Chattels, such as Household Goods, Pianos, Horses, Carriages, Etc. All payments are arranged to suit your income. The Old Reliable

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Nothing Could Be Nicer in the Home Than a Good Piano.

We have not the BEST but as good. Our prices are the most reasonable of any Piano Company in the business. We would be pleased to show you the finest line for you to see. Come in and let us tell you all about the goods we sell. Nothing better for the money.

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WE save you money.
WE sell you good Pianos.
WE see that you are satisfied.
WE wish to tell you of our Pianos.
WE would like to sell you a Piano.
WE will sell you if you will investigate.
WE are trying to make Columbus Grove, O., headquarters for the Piano Business.
WE think it lays wholly with the people.
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A TRY-OUT FOR THE INTERESTS

Natural Attitude of Solons Stands Revealed.

WISE GUYS WILL FIND THEM

Those Who Have Minds of Their Own May Be Expected to Know Better Next Time Unless They Are Incorrigible—Burton Said to Be Satisfied With Unwholesome Record of the Special Session.

BL ORWELL C. RIDDLE.

Columbus, O., March 11.—This session has been a try-out It has served to show the personal attitude of new and untried men toward those interests which hover about the capital during a session of the legislature.

Henceforth and until the beginning of the regular session next year those new members of the house and senate who showed symptoms of hostility toward "the interests" will be courted by well dressed and oily tongued individuals, who "observed their brilliant record" during this special session, and who will fervently desire, through motives of "pure friendship," stimulated by undisguised "admiration," that they "make a name" for

CYRUS B. WINTERS.
Erie County Representative Who Has Officiated as Democratic Floor Leader

themselves at the next session that will enroll them in the galaxy of useful statesmen.

This is always the way when two sessions are held by the same legislature, and was one of the chief causes which led to the abandonment of annual sessions nearly a score of years ago. It gave the ubiquitous lobbyist greater opportunity and greater advantage during the interim to cultivate the good will of "a contrary cuss" because he could get to him single-handed and handle him alone, if such a thing could be done at all.

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Responsibility for the defeat of the initiative and referendum at this session must rest entirely on the Republican majority in the senate.

The resolution was more than sufficiently amended in the house to meet the objections of ultra-conservatives In fact, advocates of direct legislation could have objected reasonably to the resolution as it was changed in the house But those who were urging the cause of the people felt that it would be better to have the I. and R. amendment go to the people for ratification or rejection with heavy restrictions than to have that opportunity denied altogether, so they urged action on the resolution by the senate, confident that the senate could not reasonably insist on further amendment.

But the utmost hostility to the resolution was exhibited by the Republican leaders in the senate. Every trick possible in the tactics of filibuster was resorted to by them to keep the resolution from coming to a vote When it did come up finally, in spite of them, they put it on the dissecting table and with amendments they were able to force into it by a majority vote they first removed its entrails, then pulled off its arms, then cut off its legs, then extracted its teeth, then cut off its head and finally threw the torso out of the window

Every Democratic senator and seven Republicans voted for the resolution despite its brutal mutilation, but it failed by two votes, a three fifths majority being required. Every vote cast against the resolution in the senate, as in the house, came from the Republican side

Those who were most vigorous in the opposition were Senator Mather of Akron, the Republican floor leader, Senator Patterson of Ashland and two of the Cox senators Baker and Johnson of Cincinnati. Even the Burton senators of Cleveland joined with the machine-serving senators in denying to the people the right to decide whether they shall have something to say about the acts of men they send to the legislature to represent them if their representatives misrepresent them after reaching the capital

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Senator Burton didn't stop in Columbus any longer than the train stopped on which he journeyed to Dayton this week. His direct dictation to the legislature at the close of the special session which made him senator in Foraker's place was conveyed in instructions give those who conferred with him in Cleveland last Sunday Being a bachelor, Mr Burton has no home ties to require his attention on Sunday contemplation so that he could go over such minor matters as disturb the minds of statesmen in a legislature with as much fraction as any member of the legislature could bestow upon the perplexities of a ward patriot in a city or village council and do it as well Sunday as any other day

If any orders came from Mr. Burton in addition to those issued at Cleveland as announced in Monday's papers, they were communicated by mail or telephone.

That he "kept in touch" with what was done is indicated by an interview in which he was represented as being satisfied with the work of this legislature If this be true Mr. Burton is an anomaly, for nobody outside of the Cox Brown-Gulbert alliance of bosses and its satellites are satisfied Not even Cox himself is satisfied entirely for he did not get his bond booster through.

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No taxation reform after the years of agitation can not be smothered under Mr Burton's cloak of satisfaction. This dereliction rests entirely on the Republican majority in the senate. The house by decisive votes twice this week repudiated the senate's attempt to sidestep the whole question by creating another committee to "investigate the report" at the next session

Representative Langdon of Warren county, a Republican, did not hesitate to denounce the Clevenger resolution to create another committee as "an escape valve for the senate."

The alleged probe of state institutions by a committee, one to be named by the governor and the other by the lieutenant governor, is a monstrosity unprecedented in the state's history. Where any authority is to be found for such a division of executive power is a puzzle for constitutional lawyers to solve. The supreme court might be able to solve it while riding up and down in the elevators if no precedents can be found in any of the profound tomes on the shelves of the law library.

Governor Harmon asked for authority to investigate for himself when rumors of something wrong reached his ears, but the Woods bill as it was enacted delegates such authority to a committee and divides with the lieutenant governor the executive power to name a hybrid committee.

The senate jumped over and under and walked all around the Brenner bill to require an inventory to be made of state property after the judiciary committee rendered the bill worthless by stipulating that the first inventory should be made by officials in charge of such property who would be personally interested and have opportunity to pad the invoice if there were any discrepancies to conceal. This bill was introduced in the house by a Republican, but in its emasculated form the Democratic senators assumed no responsibility for it and the Republican senators didn't dare to call it up. So it perished on the calendar.

Satisfied? Wait till the people fully understand the product of this special session.

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There was consternation on the Republican side of the house when the bill to raise the salaries of county recorders to the same rate that is allowed county clerks was passed beyond recall. The bill as introduced by Senator Gillette was only fair and just to county recorders, who are really underpaid in most of the small counties But an amendment by Senator Phare of Cleveland, a Republican, put the "sleeper" into the bill that the house didn't discover until it had passed the bill and the senate had concurred in a minor amendment made by the house. That sleeper is that the time for paying salaries out of the county treasury if fees collected are inadequate to meet salaries shall be extended two years.

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Senator Duval's bill to create two normal schools, one to be in northeastern and the other in northwestern Ohio, was naturally unfortunate, having been killed in the house in the final rush by indefinite postponement. It was senate bill No. 13. Now let the superstitious cogitate upon the fatality of certain numbers.

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The senate practically concluded its labors by defeating a house bill requiring owners of hedge fences to keep the same in order along highways and dividing lines between property.

The house yielding to pressure of the paint trust practically repealed an act passed last year requiring the formula to be printed on kegs and cans of paint and lead, although the act was not to go into effect until next July. The discussion had enough to do with catalogue houses to indicate a pretty general knowledge of that subject. Then defeating another bill to create the office of state plumbing inspector at a salary of $2,000 per year under the state board of health, the house considered its labors done.

All that is left for the formal session Friday is to agree to a conference committee's report on the deficiency appropriation bill, the item in controversy being a disputed coal bill for the Mansfield reformatory, the signing up of bills, closing the journal and adjournment sine die.

A Hurry Up Call.

Quick! Mr. Druggist—Quick! A box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve—Here's a quarter—For the love of Moses, hurry Baby's burned himself terribly—Johnnie cut his foot with the axe—Mamie's scalded—Pa can't walk from piles—Billie has boils—and my corns ache She got it and soon cured all the family. Its the greatest healer on earth. Sold by H F Vortkamp, druggist.

New York, March 11.—If any street peddler of violets wants to become unpopular all he needs to do is to try to sell his wares to Mrs. Lillian Ashley, a young woman who lives in the Hotel Markwell She told in the West Side Court why she did not like the flower sellers, and no one blamed her for having a grievance.

She stopped in front of the Hotel Cadillac, Forty-third street and Broadway, on Saturday afternoon and purchased two bunches of violets for seventy-five cents. She had no change, and when the vendor saw a ten dollar bill he said, "Just wait here and I'll get the change."

He shoved the tray in her hands and went in the front door of the Cadillac and out the side door When last seen he looked as if he was preparing for a Marathon, and was running strong, with plenty of reserve speed, and getting as far away as he could from his tray of violets.

There are some men around that section of Broadway who would not look surprised if the subway came to life and did a Salome dance, but a pretty woman holding a tray of violets and apparently offering them for sale was new. They rose to the occasion, however, and began to form in line Some of them who dated the ownership of their last violet at the time of Sysonby's death declared life would not be worth living if they did not have a bunch, and some ticket speculators began to traffic in the advantageous places in the line.

FOREST TALKS.

Washington, March 11.—The government's new forest products' laboratory will be located at the University of Wisconsin, at Madison. In naming Wisconsin, Gifford Pinchot, Chief of the United States Forest Service, said, "I have had few decisions to make which were so difficult or which have had such prolonged and careful consideration as the decision as to which of the offers for co-operation in establishing and maintaining a forest products' laboratory I should recommend for acceptance by the Secretary of Agriculture."

The establishment of the laboratory means the concentration of all lines of the experimental investigations of the government looking to closer and better utilization of timber and the checking of wood waste. Forest Service laboratories for timber test work at Yale and Purdue Universities and the government's wood pulp and wood chemistry laboratory in Washington will be consolidated and transferred to Madison as soon as practicable A force of fifteen to twenty timber test engineers, experts in wood preservation, wood pulp manufacture and wood distillation will have charge of the work carried on. The laboratory will have an equipment valued at not less than $15,000. The University will furnish the building, light, heat, and power, and in return advanced students will have the use of the laboratory for special work in related lines

In announcing the decision to the presidents of the Universities which made offers, Chief Forester Pinchot said: "After the generous propositions of the various institutions which were made were all received and considered, those of the universities of Michigan, Minnesota and Wisconsin, were seen to be most advantageous. Those three were studied and compared in every useful way we could devise, and at last it was seen that all things considered, the proposition of the University of Wisconsin should be accepted.

"The proposition of the three universities as to buildings were substantially equal. In other directions also there was little to choose, while in still others the differences were marked. It would serve no good purpose to set forth the specific details upon which the choice rests. On the contrary, such a course might lead to unfortunate discussion of relative merits leading to no conclusion. I have, therefore, preferred simply to add that among the factors considered, the following were necessarily given special weight:

"1. Building, site, and equipment of light, heat, and power;

"2. Courses in instruction in forestry, agriculture, engineering, and science generally;

"3. General accessibility to the forest regions of the East, Central Valley and South, to the industries most concerned with the work of the laboratory and to the officers of the Forest Service on inspection;

"4. Practical research work, especially that done in connection with professional and industrial organizations;

"5. Relation to State and Federal policies affecting the conservation of natural resources.

"The laboratory could only go to one of the three universities. Two must be disappointed. For that disappointment I am keenly sorry, but nothing I can do will prevent it. I ask you to accept my heartiest thanks for the generous interest of your university, its president and board of regents, your delegation in congress, and the legislature and people of your state in the advancement of forestry. I congratulate you on the magnificent support you have had, and I am heartily sorry that I cannot recommend in favor of all three."

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The Last Resort.

"Why have we stopped, captain?"

"On account of the fog, madam."

"Oh, but my dear captain, surely not! Look! it is perfectly clear up above."

"Aye, ma'am—but we're not going that way, unless the boiler bursts.—Bystander.

PENNSYLVANIA FARM

Fine Example of Skilled Farming.

The Long farm in the Lebanon valley in Pennsylvania is a striking example of what scientific farming and corn culture will do for a farm. Originally much run down, it is now one of the best farms in Pennsylvania. The standard yield of corn is 120 bu. to the acre, and this is not on a "trial patch," either, as there are ordinarily 90 acres planted in corn.

Mr. Long grows a four-year rotation of corn, followed by oats, wheat and clover, in that order using four fields of 90 acres each for the work This takes up the larger part of the 500-acre farm.

No man ever exercised greater care in the selection of seed corn than does Mr. Long. When the corn gets to the right stage of maturity Mr. Long goes through the field and looks for good stalks with the right kind of ears. He then gathers the best ears while the corn is still standing. Thus he breeds from the best he has on the farm After the seed corn is selected and gathered, it is kept in the house all winter and never allowed to freeze. At least 25 bushels per acre. Mr. Long declares are due to the fact that the seed corn thus protected never freezes.

The corn is fed on the farm and the manure returned to the soil, being scattered each year on the oat stubble, thus differing from the method of most farmers.

Professor Spillman, of the department of agriculture is of the opinion that the remarkable yield of corn is largely due to the way in which the sod is handled. In the fall the clover sod is plowed very deep. The following spring it is cultivated three or four times, as deep as it was ploughed in the fall.

This farm with its regular and remarkable yield is certainly an object lesson in scientific farming.

A Religious Author's Statement.

Rev. Joseph H. Fesperman, Salisbury, N. C., who is the author of several books, writes: "For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick white sediment and I passed same frequently day and night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and my urine became normal. I cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy." Sold at Enterprise Drug Store, M. M. Keltner, Prop.

POSTAL SAVINGS BANK.

It is now generally understood that the postal savings bank bill will be passed at this session by the senate. It will not get through the house, but the changed attitude toward it leads to the expectation that it will finally pass that body at the next regular session. The change in the situation is credited to the influence of Postmaster General Meyer, who urged it upon Senator Aldrich.

Aldrich opposed the bill pending the report of the currency commission, of which he is the head. He wants to bring out of the commission a central bank measure and believes that to add a postal bank system to the present currency scheme would complicate it and make additionally difficult the adjustment to the new scheme.

Mr. Meyer, however, urged upon him that if a central bank is to be the solution, a postal bank system ought to be established in advance, because in two or three years it would bring several hundred millions, and probably a billion dollars into the government depositories This could be used as the basis of new issues of currency, and the government could thus escape from the present necessity of a bond-secured circulation.

This view impressed the Rhode Island senator favorably and he is disposed to permit the measure to pass Western members are beginning to be very hopeful of the bill's success. —Washington Letter in Brooklyn Eagle.

SEND CORRESPONDENCE FREE.

Mrs Grover Cleveland and Mrs Benjamin Harrison have been granted the privilege of sending their correspondence through the United States mail under their autograph signature free of postage This order was promulgated through the postoffice channels Monday and will go into effect immediately.

New York, March 11.—Fifty-seven varieties of young womanhood entered Wall street looking for one gallant son of the South who had promised to extend to them the courtesies of the galleries of the Stock Exchange. Of the Exchange they had heard much, and they were just doting on seeing the bears bite the bulls and the bulls gore the bears They were still doting when they left the street in search of the aforesaid G S O T S, who for some reason failed to keep his appointment

It was just before noon when the delegation, which hails from Belmont College, Nashville, Tenn., arrived on a "rubber neck" wagon They were armed with cameras, sketch pads and note books, prepared to learn more about frenzied and other kinds of finance in fifteen minutes than any one from Boston ever dreamed of The G. S O T S. heretofore mentioned was to be their guide and mentor, but when they looked for him he was not to be found. They looked some more, and then they drifted down to the curb where the brokers gave them three cheers, and then some more, while the shutters of the cameras clicked

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WHEN TAFT GOES IN.

When Taft goes into History they will have to widen the doors.—Atlanta Constitution

LEGAL NOTICE.

Pearl Ramsey, executrix of the estate of Matilda Clark, deceased, vs. Luella Hull, et al., defendants.

In the Probate Court of Allen County, Ohio.

Susie Hemmans, one of the defendants in said proceeding, residing in the city of Indianapolis, in the state of Indiana, will take notice that the above named plaintiff did on the 2nd day of March, 1909, file her petition in said entitled case in the Probate Court of Allen County, O., praying for an order from said court for the sale of inlot four hundred and six (406) in the village of Delphos, Ohio, for the purpose of paying the indebtedness existing against the estate of Matilda Clark, deceased Said cause will be for hearing on the 24th day of April, 1909

PEARL RAMSEY,
Executrix.
By BECKER & BECKER. Her attorneys. mar-11-th-fri-6wks

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 13653. Ex. Doc. 8. Page 13653.

Clement L. Odum, Plaintiff, vs. Hannah Whirrett, et al., Defendant. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of a writ of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House, in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on

Saturday, April 10th, 1909,

Between the hours of 10:00 a. m o'clock and 12:00 o'clock noon m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in Marion Township, Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit.

The south half (½) of the west half (½) of the northwest quarter (¼) of section five (5), Township Three (3) South, Range Five (5) East, containing forty-seven (47) acres of land ,and being all the land described and conveyed by Abraham Utter and Jane Utter to Richard Odum on November 4, 1861, as shown by Allen County Deed Records, Volume 6 Page 230 and 231 and also the land conveyed by William Eaton and Elizabeth Eaton to Richard Odum on March 12, 1870, as shown by Allen County Deed Records Volume 17, Page 479 And also twenty (20) acres of land out of the middle part of the northeast quarter (¼) of Section Six (6) Township Three (3) South, Range Five (5) East, in said County and State, and which is the same property and land described and conveyed by James Bryan to Richard Odum on January 23, 1873, as shown by the Deed Records of Allen County, Ohio, Volume 21 Page 446

Appraised at $6,030.00 (Six Thousand and Thirty Dollars)

Terms of Sale. One-third (1-3) cash one-third (1-3) in one (1) year, and one-third (1-3) in two (2) years

HENRY VANGUNTEN,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio
Lima, Ohio, March 9, 1909
KENT W HUGHES,
Plaintiff's Attorney
mch 11-th-fri-5wks

NOTICE.

Morgan H. McPheron and Emma McPheron his wife, Clara Simmons and Earl Simmons her husband, and Ray McPheron, all residing in Champaign, State of Illinois, will take notice that on the 26th day of January, 1909, The Citizens' Loan and Building Company of Lima, Ohio, filed its petition in the Common Pleas Court of Allen County, Ohio, in Case No ———, against the above named parties and others, praying for the finding of the amount due and the foreclosure of the mortgage made by said Morgan H. McPheron and his then wife Rebecca E. McPheron, to the plaintiff on in-lot 2681 in the Smith Heirs' addition to the City of Lima, Allen County, State of Ohio, except twelve and one-half (12½) feet off of the north side of said lot, given to secure a debt on which a balance of seven hundred and two and 27-100 dollars with interest from January 25, 1909, is due.

Said parties aree rquired to answer on or before the 3rd day of April, 1909

PROPHET & EASTMAN,
Attorneys for Plaintiff
jan 28-th-fri-6wks

LEGAL NOTICE.

Henry Albert Radala, whose last known residence was Pittsburg, Pa., will take notice that Elizabeth Francis Radala, has filed her petition in the Common Pleas Court of Allen County, Ohio, in case No. 13729, on Docket No 8, asking for a divorce on the grounds of extreme cruelty and gross neglect of duty and custody of the minor child, and unless he answers on or before the 8th day of April A. D. 1909, judgment will be granted against him

ELIZABETH FRANCIS RADALA
By J D ARMSTRONG, Her Atty
feb 25-th-fri-3wks

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Eli Battles, Deceased

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Eli Battles, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased

Dated this 2nd day of March A. D., 1909

CLARENCE J. BATTLES
By J H SECRIST, Attorney.
mch 2-tu-wed-2wks

NOTICE.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio.

Anna M. Ley, Plaintiff, against Frank S. Ley, Defendant.

The above named defendant Frank S. Ley, whose place of residence is to plaintiff unknown, will take notice that said plaintiff, Anna M. Ley, did on the 9th day of February, 1909, file in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio, her petition against said defendant, alleging as a ground therefor, gross neglect of duty on the part of said defendant toward her, and praying for a divorce from said defendant, for alimony and for such other relief as may be proper

Said petition will be for hearing on and after the 26th day of March, 1909.

ANNA M. LEY, Plaintiff.
feb 9-tu-wed-6wks

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of James Kimmey, Deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of James Kimmey, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 1st day of March, A D. 1908.

JOHN T COTNER.
mch 2-tu&wed-3wks-and sw

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of David M. Miller, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as Administrator of the estate of David M. Miller, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 24th day of February, A. D., 1909.

AMMI MILLER.
By T R HAMILTON, His Atty.
feb 25-3wks

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 11778.

Ex. Doc. 1 Page 11778.

William E. Jordon, Plaintiff, vs. Michael J. Sullivan, Defendant. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of Execution for Costs, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House, in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on

Monday, March 15th, 1909,

Between the hours of 10 o'clock and 12 o'clock, noon, the following described Goods and Chattels, situated in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Ten (10) Shares of common stock in The Lima Telephone and Telegraph Company, represented by certificate No. 88, dated January 19th, 1903, owned by the within execution creditor, William E. Jordon, said stock standing on the books of said company in the name of William E. Jordon.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

HENRY VAN GUNTEN,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio
Lima, Ohio, March 5th, 1909.

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PENNA. CORRECTED TIME CARD.

EAST BOUND.	
No. 24	1:17 a m
No. 6	7:06 a m
No. 18	8:32 a m
No. 16	1:27 p m
No. 30 Ex Sunday	2:39 p m
No. 22 Pullman	4:25 p m
No. 8	9:33 p m
No. 2 Ex. Fare	10:27 p m
WEST BOUND.	
No. 13	1:47 a m
No. 15 Pullman	2:13 a m
No. 39 Ex. Sunday	9.03 a m
No. 23 Pullman	10:37 a m
2nd Section Coaches Ex. Monday	
No. 9	3.37 p m
No. 19	3 52 p m
No. 11	6.55 p m

ERIE RAILROAD.

East Bound.	
No. 12 Daily	3:15 a.m.
No. 8 Daily	6:50 a.m.
No. 22 Daily Ex. Sunday	3:20 p.m.
No. 4 Daily	4:37 p.m.
West Bound.	
No. 7 Daily	12:25 a m.
No. 9 Daily	1:58 a.m.
No. 21 Daily Ex. Sunday	8:42 a m.
No. 3 Daily	11.36 a.m.
No. 15 Daily	6.20 p m.

C., H. & D. RY.

NORTHBOUND.	
No. 12 Daily	2.05 a m
No. 2 Daily, Ex. Sunday.	8:00 a m
No. 6 Daily	11.50 a m
No. 4 Daily	4:27 p m
No. 8 Daily	7.00 p m
No. 10 Daily, Ex. Sunday (Runs to Lima only)	9:45 p m
No. 60 Sunday only	6.45 a m
No. 68 Sunday only, (Runs to Lima only)	10.00 p m
SOUTHBOUND.	
No. 7 Daily	3.00 a m
No. 11 Daily Ex. Sunday.	5.35 a m
No. 1 Daily	9 10 a m
No. 5 Daily	12:35 p m
No. 3 Daily	4 00 p m
No. 9 Daily	6:40 p m
No. 63 Sunday only	5.35 a m

L. E. & W. RY.

No.	West Bound.	Leave.
Daily		9.15 a m.
Daily except Sunday		4:35 p m.
	East Bound.	
Daily except Sunday		8:40 a.m.
Daily		5:35 p.m.

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NORTH BOUND.	A. M.	P M
Lima	9:00	5 00
Gomer	9.17	5 13
*Jones City	9 28	5 21
Kalida	9.55	5 34
Dornington	10 05	5 39
Continental	10.36	5 52
Southerton	10:53	6 08
Defiance	11:15	6 30
SOUTH BOUND.	A. M.	P. M.
Defiance	6:30	1.00
*Southerton	6:52	1.20
Continental	7:08	1 50
*Dorington	7:21	2:10
Kalida	7:26	2.25
*Jones City	7:39	2 45
Gomer	7:47	2.55
Lima	8:00	3.15

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TO SET ASIDE DEED

J. M. Jacobs Files Suit in Common Pleas Against Tabler Heirs.

BLAKELY TRIAL IS PROGRESSING.

Damage Suit Against Traction Co. Assigned for Trial Tomorrow.

J M Jacobs is the plaintiff in a suit filed in common pleas court today against Gertrude Tabler and Bernice Tabler, in which he seeks to have a deed set aside and an execution satisfied. The petition states that he secured a judgment in Justice Everett's court against Gertrude Tabler for $184.79 on February 27, 1909, and that after the suit had been filed, on February 25, 1909, the first named defendant filed a deed for record, dated January 18, 1909, conveying ½ interest in a part of inlot 2579 in Lima. He claims that the deed was made after the suit was filed and was given for the purpose of avoiding her creditors. He asks that the deed be set aside and execution of his judgment be satisfied.

Progressing.

The trial of the case of John Blakely against the L. E. & W. Ry. Co., the Western Union Telegraph Co., and the United States Express Co., is progressing rapidly and it is thought that the same will reach the jury not later than tomorrow morning.

Damage Suit.

The case of Kate J. Beckley against the Lima and Toledo Traction Company, in which the plaintiff seeks to recover $10,000 damages for personal injuries, is assigned for trial tomorrow, and witnesses have been subpoenaed.

Commissioners Talk.

The county commissioners stated this morning that there seems to be a great deal of talk about the improvements recommended by the grand jury for the sheriff's residence. In reference to the same the board says that the state inspector claims that there is no law permitting the commissioners to furnish any part of the residence with the exception of the office therein, and that a portion of the amount sued for in the recent suit filed by the prosecuting attorney against the sheriff, is for such furnishings as have been made outside of the office. In the previous report of the grand jury the condition of the floor in the kitchen of the residence was mentioned. This feature the commissioners may remedy, but for any furnishings they claim they have no power to act.

Real Estate Transfers.

N. L. Michael to Max Michael inlot 7371 and the undivided half interest in inlots 7352, 7355, 7356, 7357 7360 7362, 7365, 7366, 7368, 7369 and 7370 in Clara J. Brotherton's 5th addition to Lima; also, one-half interest in inlots 7461, 7462, 7463, 7464 in Michael's 5th addition to Lima; also one-half interest in 9½ acres in Perry township, $1.

Henry Metzger to Sylvester Metzger, 1 acre in Marion township, $100.

James Huston to Harry E. Cook, 17½ acres in Bath township, $3,300.

Hermore G. Tabler to James P. Pepple quit claim, inlot 2579 in Lima, $100.

Heirs of B. L. Underwood to James Pepple, inlot 2579 in Lima, $1150

N. L. Michael to Lyle Keuthan, inlot 6918 in Michael's addition to Lima, $475.

The McCain Realty Co. to Mrs. Ellen Haslacker, lot 6626 in Homewood, $50

Those Brutal Critics.

Hobb—Have you ever noticed that the average woman gets off a trolley car backward?

Slobbs—That's the way she gets off a joke, too.—Philadelphia Record.

Making Good.

There is no way of making lasting friends like "Making Good;" and Doctor Pierce's medicines well exemplify this, and their friends, after more than two decades of popularity, are numbered by the hundreds of thousands. They have "made good" and they have *not* made drunkards.

A good honest, square-deal medicine of known composition is **Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.** It still enjoys an immense sale, while most of the preparations that have come into prominence in the earlier period of its popularity have "gone by the board" and are never more heard of. There must be some reason for this long-time popularity and that is to be found in its superior merits. When once given a fair trial for weak stomach, or for liver and blood affections, its superior curative qualities are soon manifest; hence it has survived and grown in popular favor, while scores of less meritorious articles have suddenly flashed into favor for a brief period and then been as soon forgotten.

For a torpid liver with its attendant indigestion, dyspepsia, headache, perhaps dizziness, foul breath, nasty coated tongue, with bitter taste, loss of appetite, with distress after eating, nervousness and debility, nothing is so good as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It's an honest, square-deal medicine with all its ingredients printed on bottle-wrapper—no secret, no hocus-pocus humbug, therefore *don't accept a substitute* that the dealer may possibly make a little bigger profit. *Insist* on your right to have what you call for.

Don't buy **Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription** expecting it to prove a "cure-all." It is only advised for woman's *special* ailments. It makes weak women strong and sick women well. Less advertised than some preparations sold for like purposes, its sterling curative virtues still maintain its position in the front ranks, where it stood over two decades ago. As an invigorating tonic and strengthening nervine it is unequaled. It won't satisfy those who want "booze," for there is not a drop of alcohol in it.

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THE MARKETS.

New York, March 11 - Very little interest was stirring in the stock market at the opening today. Considerable price changes were shown in a few special stocks but the general market was sluggish and almost stagnant Minneapolis, St. Paul and Saulte Ste. Marie fell 1 and Erie and Toledo, St. Louis and Western ⅝. American sugar rose 7⅞ and Atchison ⅝.

The market closed about steady. The stagnation of the market was unrelieved Federal mining fell 2.

Wheat Turned Weak.

Chicago, March 11.—Following a moderately firm opening, wheat today turned weak. May declined to nearly one cent below the previous close. The firmness at the start was due chiefly to an advance of ¼ to ⅝ pence at Liverpool. Prices at the start were ½ lower to ¾ higher, with May at $1.15⅝@1.15⅞. May soon dropped to $1.13½, and July dropped to $1.09⅝.

May corn at the start was unchanged to ⅛c lower, at 67⅞c to 68⅛c. Later the price dropped to 67½@67⅝c.

May oats opened ⅛c to ¼c lower at 55@55⅛c to 55¼, and sold off to 54½@54⅝c.

Provisions opened unchanged to 12½c higher.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 11.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 4,000; market steady. Beeves, $4.60@7.30; Texas steers, $4.50@5.40; western steers, $4.10@5.60; stockers and feeders, $3.50@5.50; cows and heifers, $1.90@5.75, calves, $6.00@8.50.

Hogs—Receipts estimated at 21,000; market steady. Light, $6.35@6.75; mixed, $6.45@6.85; heavy, $6.50@6.90; roughs, $6.50@6.65; good to choice, heavy, $6.65@6.90; pigs, $5.35@6.10; bulk of sales, $6.65@6.80.

Sheep—Receipts estimated at 14,000 market weak. Native, $3.30@5.70; western $3.50@5.75; lambs, native, $5.75@7.75, western, $5.75@7.75

Cleveland Produce.

Cleveland, March 11—Butter, seconds 25½@26; prints 31½@32; process 25@26, fancy dairy 19@20, packing stock 17@18.

Cheese, york state cream fancy 15½@16; due Ohio creams 15@15¼; Swiss No. 1, 15@16; No. 2, 13@14; bricks 14@17; limburger 15@17.

Eggs, current receipts 20.

Poultry hens 14½@15; springers 15@15½.

Apples, fancy stock $5.25@5.50; choice $3.50@5.00.

Potatoes, white choice 90; common 85, car lots 80@83; new bermudas $7.50@8.00 bbl.

Call Money Easy.

New York, March 11.—Money on call easy 1½@2 per cent; ruling rate 1¾; closing bid 1¾; offered at 2. Time loans inactive; 60 days 2½ per cent offered; 90 days 2½ to 2¾; and six months 3 per cent.

Pittsburg Stock.

Pittsburg, March 11.—Cattle, receipts light; market steady; quotations unchanged.

Hogs, receipts 15 loads; market steady; prime heavies $7.25@7.30; mediums $7.15@7.20; heavy yorkers $7.10@7.15; light yorkers $6.60@6.85; pigs $6.20@6.30.

Sheep and lambs, supply fair; market steady; quotations unchanged.

Cincinnati Live Stock.

Cincinnati, March 11.—Hogs, receipts 3946; market steady; 5 cents higher; butchers and shippers $7.15; common $5.50@6.25.

Cattle, receipts 692; market steady and quiet; fair to good shippers $7.25@5.60; common $2.75@3.85.

Sheep, receipts 30; market strong $2.25@5.50.

Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, March 11.—Close of Wheat—May, $1.14⅝; July, $1.03¾; September, 97⅜c; December, 98⅜c.

Corn—March, 65½; May, 68@68⅛c; July, 67½c; September, 67½c.

Oats—May, 55¼c; July, 49⅜c; September, 44c.

Lard—May, $10.32½; July, $10.45.

Ribs—May, $9.42½@9.45; July, $9.60; September, $9.75.

Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, March 11.—Cattle—Receipts 1 car load; market firm.

Calves—Receipts 100 head; market slow Best, $9.00@9.50.

Hogs—Receipts 15 car loads; market steady. Heavies and mediums, $7.15; yorkers, $7.00@7.10; pigs, $6.60; roughs, $6.00@6.15; stags, $4.50@5.00

Sheep—Receipts, 21 car loads; market active. Yearlings, $6.75@7.00; wethers, $5.75@6.25; mixed sheep, $5.25@5.75; ewes, $5.25@5.75; culls, $3.00@4.50; lambs, $6.75@7.90.

Toledo Grain.

Toledo, March 11.—Close: Wheat, cash $1.21; May $1.18⅛; July $1.05⅛; September $1.00⅛.

Corn—Cash 68; May 68⅞; July and September 68¾.

Oats—Cash 56; May 56½; July 50¼; September 41⅜.

Cloverseed—Cash and March $5.22½; October $5.82½

Prime alsike $8.70.

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McCAREY FUNERAL

At St. Rose Church Largely Attended.

The last rites over the remains of Wm. McCarey, of west Wayne street, were largely attended at St. Rose church this morning at 8:30 o'clock. The pastor, Rev. A. E. Manning, officiated at the high mass of requiem and preached the funeral sermon. Lima Court No. 1331, Catholic Order of Foresters, attended the funeral in a body. The following members of the court carried the remains to their last resting place in Gethsemani cemetery: John Kinstle, W. H. Railing, Frank McGill, M. J. Ryan, J. F. Siefried and P. H Kelly.

The following relatives were present from abroad: Chas McCarey and family, of Telston, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lawlor, of McConnelsville, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs LaDowe, of Columbus; Mrs. J. M Miller, of Chattanooga, Tenn., and Thomas Lawlor, of Norwalk.

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LUMAN C. MANN

ON TRIAL FOR MURDER OF MRS. FRANCES THOMPSON.

Has Evil Nemesis in Person of Woman Once His Wife.

SHE TESTIFIES TO RECEIVING

Money to Go to New York and Changing Place of Residence.

To Avoid Being a Witness. Those Giving Her Money Named.

Chicago, March 11.—Mrs. Maude Shanks today gave sensational testimony in the trial of Luman C. Mann, for the alleged murder of Mrs. Francis Thompson.

Mrs. Shanks formerly was the wife of the defendant. She told of going to New York to avoid being a witness in the trial, of changing her place of residence there when she learned that a detective was coming to get her to appear as a witness here. In New York she said she worked as a nurse for an organization known as the Home Bureau. Money to visit New York, she said, was given her by Mrs. Myrtle Smith and Bert C. Cowdy.

"Mrs. Smith gave me $75 and Cowdy gave me $25," said Mrs. Shanks.

The disappearance of the witness was connected with the case by testimony of Mrs. Smith.

"Where did you get the money?" the prosecutor asked. At this point Attorney Erbstein reminded the witness of her right to refuse to answer any question which might incriminate her. Mrs. Smith hesitated a moment and then answered:

"I got it from Mr. Cowdy."

"Where did you first meet Mr. Cowdy?"

"In Mr. Erbstein's office in the First National bank building." Mrs. Smith admitted receiving a letter from Mrs. Shanks asking for money.

"And did you not answer her and tell that it was pulling teeth to get money from Erbstein?"

"I do not remember just what I said in the letter," answered the witness.

PERSONALS.

N. D. Keys is in Cleveland where he was called by the death of his father which occurred at an early hour this morning.

Mr. Jesse Rice, of Cleveland, who has been spending the past week with friends and relatives here, has returned home.

Miss Ella Keefe has returned from Washington, D. C., where she has been for the past ten days, visiting friends and attending the inauguration.

RAILROAD BREVITIES.

Demand Three-Cent Fares.

Chicago, Ill., March 11.—The executive committee of the Western Passenger association met yesterday to consider the decision in the Missouri two-cent rate case, but adjourned without having taken any action. This plan was pursued because of a call which has been issued for a meeting of the executive officials of Missouri roads to be held in St. Louis today. At this conference all phases of the two-cent fare situation will be gone over and some plan of action will be adopted.

At yesterday's meeting the expression of opinion was unanimously in favor of a speedy return to the three-cent basis. No advocates of a two-and-one-half-cent rate could be found. It is the belief of the passenger men that the very worst the railroads could get in any of the western states by an appeal to the courts would be two and one-half cents. They therefore see no reason why they should give up any advantage which the decision of the federal courts has given them.

Improvements Planned.

Pittsburg, March 11.—With each monthly report showing a slight increase in business and indications pointing to a general resumption in the near future, Pennsylvania railroad officials have decided to place all branch lines in good condition, while there are not many trains being operated to interfere with construction work. The regular spring work on placing tracks in good condition is to be taken up at once.

There are many small branch coal and industrial roads along the various divisions of the Pennsylvania entering Pittsburg, which serve as feeders for the main line. Most of the mines and industrial plants on these roads have been closed for the past sixteen months, and improvement work was practically discontinued. Many thousand of new ties will be used and hundreds of carloads of ballast will be required to complete the work It is understood that most of the rails to be used on the branch roads will be taken from the main line tracks when the new steel rails are delivered

Additional men have been re-instated in the maintenance of way department during the past few weeks, and it is expected that some of the engineers who were laid off last year will be placed on the pay roll shortly.

Foot Crushed.

Otto Shearer, brakeman on Delphos division of the C., H. & D., had a foot crushed under car wheels at Ottoville.

New York, March 11.—Medicine enough for a regiment on a brief campaign and an outfit of surgical instruments which will do all the work likely to come into an ordinary hospital will be carried by Theodore Roosevelt to Africa, all condensed so as to fill a suit case. There are fifteen thousand doses in the tabloids, nearly forty per cent of them quinine. The other medicines are to ward off diseases most prevalent in equatorial Africa, chemicals to make swamp water pure and palatable, cures for snake bites, stimulants, opiates, knives and bandages.

These supplies, packed in unbreakable and airtight bottles of a vulcanite composition, fit into an aluminum case, whose top is divided into compartments for the surgical instruments and bandages and for the medicines carried in small quantities. Closed, this case looks like a pirate's treasure chest. It is 15¾ by 10½ by 8¼ inches in its dimensions.

An Ideal Cough Medicine.

"As an ideal cough medicine I regard Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in a class by itself," says Dr. R. A. Wiltshire, of Gwynneville, Ind. "I take great pleasure in testifying to the results of Chamberlain's Cough Medicine. In fact, I know of no other preparation that meets so fully the expectations of the most exacting in cases of croup and coughs of children. As it contains no opium, chloroform or morphine it certainly makes a most safe, pleasant and efficacious remedy for the ills it is intended." For sale by all druggists.

THE IDLER.

Rev. R. H. Monnis, C. P. P. S., is delivering some practical lenten sermons at the Wednesday evening services in St. Rose church

Last night he preached from the text, "He that loves danger shall perish therein." Father Monnis spoke on the occasion of sin, quoting the Divine Words, "If thy eye scandalize thee pluck it out; if thy hand or foot scandalize thee cut it off." The meaning of these words he said was that no matter how near or dear a companion or an associate might be to you, if they are the cause of your fall into sin you are morally bound to cut them off and shun their society Those of you who are compelled by your station in life to be more or less in the occasion of sin on account of your daily contact with sinful persons, fortify yourselves by building your house on a solid foundation so that when attacked by the enemy you may be able to withstand the temptation of the evil one and thus avoid falling back into the bad habits and former sins of which you have promises to avoid. Our Lord says be strong and build thy house on a solid foundation, watch and pray lest by falling continually into sin thou become a castaway. Strengthen yourselves therefore by constant prayer and a frequent worthy reception of the Sacraments. Then you will be strong and steadfast and with the daily accumulation of the Grace of God you will have your souls in the end.

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J. E. Sullivan delivered an address Tuesday evening at a well attended meeting of Lima Council, 436 Knights of Columbus. "A Friend in Need Is a Friend Indeed," was his subject, which he handled in a lucid and eloquent way demonstrating his oratorical abilities to the satisfaction of all His ovation was a most thoughtful and practical one and if the points brought out in his address are adhered to, the members of Lima Council will all be benefited thereby. Next Tuesday evening Judge C. A Steuve, of Wapakoneta, will address the Council on some interesting topic and it is the desire of the Grand Knight and Worthy Lecturer that he be greeted with a full house.

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J. W. DeFord, Celina banker, who owns the building in which the O. Rentzsch dry goods house is located, has let a contract for a new front which is to be like the beautiful one in the Carter & Carroll store. Mr. De Ford on a recent visit was so attracted by it that he went home and got busy.

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The Columbus Press-Post remarks that "a good many people who believe fish is a brain food ought to prove it by eating a whale."

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Men who cannot stand criticism of their public acts should never engage in a hunt for office It is also equally true that the man in office who is not influenced by just and fair criticism of his public actions, is not fitted to hold a public position.

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Fortunately the contemplated strike of anthracite coal miners promises to come at a time of the year when the absence of black diamonds from the bin will cause no alarm.

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A team representing the bowlers of Ada are matched to play against a picked team at the Metropolitan bowling alleys this evening.

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Mrs. W W. Calvert and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Sherrick, of south Elizabeth street, have returned from Galion, O., where they were called to attend the funeral of their aged mother, Mrs. Rebecca Nazor who was stricken with paralysis a few days ago. Mrs. Nazor was 91 years of age when she died

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Mrs. Clyde Cook entertained the members of the T. A. club yesterday with an all-day sewing. A pleasant day was spent and an excellent dinner enjoyed at the noon hour. Those present were Mrs. Eyster, Mrs. Richmond, Mrs. Dresback, Mrs. Boberhour, Mrs. Sells, Mrs. Salts, Mrs. Walburn, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Geyer, Mrs. Miesse, Mrs. Dulin and Mrs. Young.

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Yesterday Mrs Daniel Ridenour, of south Central avenue, charmingly entertained the Ladies' Aid society of Grace M. E. church while they made themselves at home with an all-day sewing. The hostess provided an elaborate dinner for her guests.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Daymon, of east Vine street, entertained last evening in honor of Miss Lenora Brockert, who leaves Sunday for Canton, where she expects to become a trained nurse in a hospital. A pleasant social time, with a delicious two-course lunch served by the hostess made up the evening's enjoyments Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Willard Streater, Mr and Mrs Clarence Ferguson, Mr and Mrs Chas. Evans, Misses Ruth Ashton, Mary Feldhake, Lenora Brockert, and Messrs Charles Godfrey, William Eberscot and the host and hostess.

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The people of Bluffton have been called upon to raise $15,000 to form part of an endowment fund for the Central Mennonite College which is now located there, the College trustees agreeing to raise $30,000 more by September 1, 1910, the citizens' subscription not to be payable until they have raised their $30,000 guaranty That Bluffton will meet the requirement goes without saying Her citizens and the people of Richland township have recently shown themselves fully in the race with any movement that looks to the uplift of their splendid community.

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Judge Hutchison announced today that if anyone has a baby to give away, he has an applicant for one

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Mr Ewing, who is connected with the Ohio Oil company, was seized with a very severe attack of lumbago yesterday at the Buckeye building. Bennett's ambulance was called and he was taken to his home at the corner of Pierce and High streets

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JOHNSON'S COLOR MAY BRING FIGHT.

New York, March 11.—James J Jeffries said today that Al Kaufman, who last night challenged him to fight for the heavy-weight championship, had no chance of getting a fight with him, nor had "any other white man." After declaring that he did not know whether he could get into condition again to meet Jack Johnson, Jeffries said:

"If Johnson had been a white man I never would have thought of fighting again. I would have stayed in retirement for the rest of my life

"How can I tell whether or not I will fight Johnson?" he asked. "How do I know whether I can get back into condition again? Wait until after I get working for a while and then maybe,—but I don't want to talk fight now. But I am feeling fine and taking off weight rapidly."

As to Kaufman, Jeffries said:

"Kaufman has not got a chance in the world to fight me Neither has any other white man I did not come east to fight, and I could not fight here if I wanted to The laws wont permit it. Kaufman will have to find some else. I am not here to fight."

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RIGHTEOUSLY INDIGNANT.

In Chicago the Irish Fellowship club yesterday made formal protest against the offensive allusions to the Irish race that are made in stage jokes, caricatures and burlesques, and specifically called attention to the display of St. Patrick day trinkets in the shops as one popular means of outraging the feelings of "an intelligent and high-strung people." The charges and campaign are based on the shopping experience of the wife of a leading Chicago Irishman, who was shown by the clerks in the stores Teddy Bears tied up in green ribbons, monkey-faced trinkets, and last, but not least, a lot of green pigs.

"She asked the clerks what significance they attached to these symbols. One said: 'We always associate these things with St. Patrick's day. Don't you?' My wife was very indignant, naturally, and when she told me about it I was indignant, too," says this loyal Irishman.

"I see no reason why the Irish should be represented symbolically by a pig or a baboon with a clay pipe. It's an outrage and should not be tolerated."

It is astonishing how long-suffering the Irish people are in this matter of coarse caricature That a race of such marked characteristics should be the subject of pleasantries in literature and song is not surprising, and even the wit at the expense of the Irishman is very largely a natural product of discussion of a people so given to humor in their own racial and emotional natures. But fun about the Irish has long ago passed the limits of forbearance for those intelligent and sensitive members of the race. The favorite stage caricature in the lower forms of entertainment is an awful travesty on the real Irish. This is not the first time that intelligent Irishmen have protested, and it should not be the last.—Pittsburg Gazette-Times.

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PRESIDENTS IN WAX.

Five years of incessant labor on the part of Geo. Doebrich, of Herman street, Germantown, has resulted in the completion of a most unique series of wax figures, representing the entire group of presidents from Washington to Roosevelt, says the Philadelphia Telegraph. The presidents, with Washington, the father of his country standing in the background, are so arranged that the flash of an electric light makes the effect of the figures decidedly realistic.

Five years ago this idea of wax figure work took possession of Mr. Doebrich. He is an expert in this line, having served his apprenticeship in the toyshops of Germany. Although he had never seen a president, he began his work with photographs as models. His first venture, and one of the most successful, was a figure of Washington kneeling in prayer at Valley Forge. Then Doebrich began to model out the twenty-six presidents who have governed the people of the United States.

It was a long time and tedious task and one that involved the outlay of a considerable amount of money, but Doebrich never faltered and was rewarded by the completion of his task a week ago.

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Caution.

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Mrs. Perry—Yes; he says he will be here unless it's too cold a night.—Harper's Bazaar.

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EXCELLENT PROGRAM GIVEN LAST EVENING AT CONCERT

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Second Sonata ....Joseph Callaerts
Allegro Andante Cantabile
Marche Pontificale.
Cantabile ..... William Faulkes
Fanfare ..... Henri Deshayes
Mr. Burroughs.
Love's Coronation. Florence Aylward
(with violin obligato)
Miss Sonntag.
Berceuse ..... Ralph Kinder
Marche Nuptiale.....Alex Guilmant
Etude fro the Pedals alone ....
..... Eugene de Bricqeville
Mr. Burroughs.
Humoreske ..... Dvorak
Miss Watson.
Fantasia on a Welsh Air .....
..... W. T Best
"March of the Men of Harlech."
Gavotte ..... G. B. Martini
(First published in 1742)
Andante Recitative
Finale Sonata 1.....Mendelssohn
Mr. Burroughs.

At the dedication service of the Oliver Presbyterian church Prof. Adams gave a number of organ numbers, which demonstrated to some extent the capabilities of the splendid Estey organ. Last evening the opening organ concert, which was in reality a dedication of the organ itself, was rendered by Prof. Wesley Roy Burroughs, of Buffalo, New York. Prof. Burroughs was assisted in the evening's program by Miss Millie Sonntag and Miss Vera Watson, two well known musicians of this city, whose appearance before the public is always warmly greeted. The fact that the program was not entirely made up of organ music took away the sameness that is felt in listening to a program of that kind, and by the introduction of voice and violin numbers the groups given by Prof. Burroughs were the more appreciated

There was a good crowd, though the church was not entirely filled, but the audience was one which listened eagerly and manifested their hearty enjoyment of it by their hearty applause.

The selections made by Prof. Burroughs were taken with a view to showing not only the magnificent skill of the artist, but the tones and beauties of the organ as well They were varied, some in minor tones, while others crashed out in joyful triumphant tones, as in the March Nuptiale by Alex Guilmant. Another number which was out of the ordinary was the "Etude for the Pedals Alone," which was perhaps the most popular number given during the evening

The first of the last group was also a favorite. The familiar Welsh air running through the entire selection was so skillfully mingled with runs, trills, and beautiful variations that at times it was lost entirely, coming out free and full perhaps in the very next measure.

The very first number of the first group was another pleasing one, and the final encore was a beautiful burst of melody and wonderful sweetness.

The appearance of Miss Sonntag and Miss Watson was greeted heartily by the audience and the contralto solo with violin obligato was sung as Miss Sonntag always sings, with great expression, feeling and with her beautiful voice in perfect control. She was recalled to the platform and gave a pretty little melody familiar to every one in the house, the piquancy of which she gave with as good effect as the deep feeling of the first number.

Miss Watson's number on the program was one that she has given to Lima audiences several times, and was one of the most beautiful things in her repertoire Her command of her instrument and its instant response to her slightest touch is wonderful, and her popularity was evinced by the strenuous applause to which she kindly responded with another beautiful number.

The lighting system of the new church was shown to be without a flaw, for when they were all turned on there as not a dark corner anywhere in the entire church.

Prof. Burroughs, the organist of the evening, is a personal friend of the pastor, Rev. Reichel, and it is due to the latter's influence that Lima people were enabled to hear this splendid performer on the pipe organ.

BASKET BALL AND DANCE.

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PROPERTY OWNERS

Of West Spring Street Held Interesting Meeting Last Night.

ARGUMENTS MADE FOR AND AGAINST

Immediate Action and Also Concerning Resurfacing of Street.

A committee of ten property holders of west Spring street, together with the city engineer and the board of public service, will be busily engaged the next few days making a thorough investigation of the condition of the street.

This committee was appointed last evening at the meeting of property holders, held in the council chamber, and at which only some fifteen of the number notified were present. D. E. Baxter was apointed chairman of the meeting and the committee was appointed by him. One property holder from each of the ten blocks was named and these are Louis Fall, Allen Patterson, Rev. I. J. Miller, L. E. Stamets, F. D. Closser, F. A. Holland, J. H. Hamilton, E. W Cook and J. H. Daller.

Prior to the naming of the committee, however, there was some very spirited discussions. The small number present was made an objection by Mr. Allen Patterson to any definite action of any kind. That they were not more present was a token of indifference in regard to the matter and even though all business was held over until another day it was thought that the same result would follow. Mr. John Boose was very anxious to go ahead with the work for which the meeting was called, and urged that the fact that the petition should be presented at the meeting of council on next Monday night made the matter of expedition very urgent.

Mr. Daller, who arrived late, but eager, was on the side of Mr. Patterson in the matter, and was against any hasty action of any kind.

He was afraid the talked of improvement of resurfacing the street would mean only additional expense insofar as the foundation might prove unfit, and that this would mean greater expenditure.

This was the voice of Mr. Patterson also, and so pro and con were the arguments, although in a spirit of friendliness, that a vote was finally taken to decide the matter of one clause of the petition to be presented to council

This clause originally read "providing for sheet asphalt resurfacing on condition that the foundation will be sufficient for it," a vote taken in regard to this stood two for and two against. A rising vote only brought nine men to their feet, four for the amendment and five against so the original wording was left

A certain number of the men seem certain that the foundation of the street is in good condition, but so many were of diverse opinion that the committee named above as appointed to make examination and see for a certainty just how it is

A suggestion was made last night that the street be paved with brick, as it would be cheaper than to make a new foundation for asphalt. To do this a new curbing would have to be made, the old foundation entirely removed and the cost would be much greater than if it is possible to use the old foundation.

Messrs. Carson Dalzell, F. D. Closser and J. H. Hamilton were appointed to circulate the petition and they are busy this morning in their respective sections This must be ready for presentation to council next Monday night and following their action another mass meeting of those interested will be held in the council chamber on next Wednesday evening

YOUNG PEOPLE

Will Unite in Joint Meeting Sunday Evening.

The Young Peoples' Societies of the city are planning a joint or union meeting for this coming Sunday evening. This will be held at the Congregational church, and the principal feature will be an address by Prof. John Davison. This will be a talk particularly adapted to young people, and the speaker will doubtless give much of interest and excellence in his usual clear way. Special music, both in the way of solos, quartette numbers and others are being arranged, and all the young people of the city, whether they belong to any of the societies of the different churches or not. Several of the evening church services will be dispensed with on account of this union service, which will probably occupy the greater part of the evening.

YOUNG LIMA MAN

Will Shortly Go to Mexico as Contractor.

Fred Pangle, the son of Newton Pangle, has gone with his uncle, Mr. Alex Richmond, to Columbus, where Mr Richmond has the contract for a big job of railroad construction. When this is finished, young Pangle will go to Albuquerque, Mexico, where a number of large contracts have been secured. The first work done in the south will be for the Southern Pacific. This means a promotion for Mr. Pangle and may pave the way for still better things. His uncle will be well remembered here, as starting at the bottom of the ladder and making phenomenal strides toward the top He has extensive banking interests in Pittsburg and is interested in a number of money making investments.

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New Galatea Cloth and Motor Suitings, many new styles, at **15c yard.**

At the Linen Counter.

New White Mercerized Madras Waistings, many styles in dots, stripes and figures, **at 12½c, 18c, 25c to 35c yd.**

Homespun Linen Absorbent Towels, for the bath and general purposes, excellent values, at **15c each or 2 for 25c.**

Women's New Tailored Waists,

$2.25, $2.98 and $5.00 each.

We are now showing a number of styles in Women's White Tailored Waists in the strictly tailored styles so much in demand this season. They all come with stiff collar and cuffs, and with large pearl buttons down the front.

At $2.25 each we are showing three styles—one strictly man tailored style, with pocket—two styles with full pleated front effects, in one-quarter and one-half inch tucks. All sizes.

At $2.98 each two styles are shown—one withinch wide embroidered pleat—one of silk finished madras with inch pleats. All sizes.

At $5.00 each, a fine all-over hand embroidered Linen Waist, in pleated style, all sizes.

We are also showing a beautiful assortment of Lingerie Waists, exclusive from a standpoint of daintiness, at **$2.98, $3.98 and $5.00 each.**

G. E. BLUEM

ANNOUNCEMENT

Until such time as we can obtain a suitable store room on Main Street we shall close our store in Lima and continue our business through Mr. D. M. Blaine, our resident agent here.

The Whitney and Currier Co.,
211-213 West High Street.

This Store to Be Closed April 1

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF

27 High Grade Pianos

MUST BE SOLD AT ONCE.

Special Closing Out Sale

TO BEGIN SATURDAY, MARCH 13th.

These beautiful instruments are of old standard makes, such as Steinway, Krakauer Bros., Mehlin & Sons, Boardman & Gray, Whitney & Currier, Kimball, Stodart, Price & Temple, Rembradt and several other makes.

25 PER CENT TO 40 PERCENT REDUCTION

A MARVELOUS OPPORTUNITY FOR PIANO BUYERS.

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1st—These Pianos Must all be Sold.
2nd—They Must be Sold Before April 1st.

SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS FOR CASH; EASY TERMS ON TIME SALES.

Never before in Lima's history have piano buyers been given such an opportunity to purchase high grade pianos at such low prices as will prevail during this sale.

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ORPHEUM THEATRE.

The show at the Orpheum this week has been drawing capacity houses. At almost every performance every seat has been sold and standing room at a premium. Everybody is loud in their praise for the show this week, claiming it to be one of the most entertaining shows the Orpheum has had The Alpine Troupe of English wire walkers are simply marvelous Their work is difficult and daring, but they are so thorough that an accident is almost impossible. The management is to be congratulated on being so successful in securing such an attraction. Another big hit is the Jarrell Co. Their act is all comedy and they get all the comedy there is in the piece out of it, for the act is a scream from the rise to the fall of the curtain and every other act on the bill is just as big a hit in their clever line of work

$100 IN GOLD.

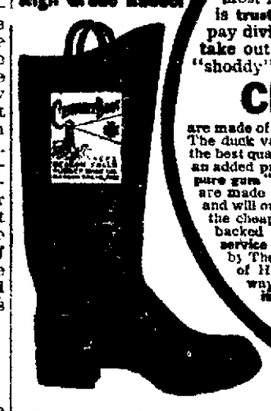
We will give $100.00 in gold to any person who will prove that any piano we offer for sale during our Piano Contest is marked ONE DOLLAR higher than our regular prices Tony Zender, the music man, successors to the Star Piano Co., Masonic Temple, west High street, Lima, O.

Stiff Neck.

Stiff neck is caused by rheumatism of the muscles of the neck. It is usually confined to one side, or to the back of the neck and one side. While it is often quite painful, quick relief may be had by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. Not one case of rheumatism in ten requires internal treatment. When there is no fever and no swelling as in muscular and chronic rheumatism, Chamberlain's Liniment will accomplish more than any internal treatment. For sale by all druggists.

Don't Pay Tribute to a Trust

High Grade Rubber



Most rubber footwear offered to the public today is trust made, and the quality is taken out of it to pay dividends on watered stock. The method is to take out a certain proportion of pure rubber and use "shoddy" (reclaimed rubber) in place of it.

CENTURY BOOTS

are made of fine Para rubber—the best rubber produced in the world The duck vamps are made by forcing high-grade Para rubber into the best quality of canvas duck by powerful hydraulic pressure. As an added precaution against cracking around the ankle, an extra pure gum "no-crack" ankle reinforcement is used. Century soles are made of the toughest compound known (a special process), and will outwear the average by a big margin. The Century is the cheapest rubber boot you can buy—because it's the best—backed by the manufacturers' guarantee of satisfactory service under all reasonable conditions. It's manufactured by The Beacon Falls Rubber Shoe Co., exclusive makers of High-Grade Rubber Footwear—always the best for the money and not in a trust.

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GUARDS FIRED.

Sheriff Van Gunten Found Two Asleep on Duty.

Several weeks ago Sheriff Van Gunten placed a special guard on at the county jail, owing to the threatening letters received in reference to the prisoners held for the Yoakum robbery. Last night he made a tour of inspection to see if his men were doing their duty and found the two guards stationed in the sheriff's office in the court house sound asleep. He locked the door and went into the yard at the rear of the jail where he fired two shots. The men were awake in a moment, but were dumbfounded to find the door locked. The sheriff then went over and unlocked the door and immediately gave them their release Their places were filled this morning with two responsible parties. This is the second change Sheriff VanGunten has made in his inside guards, others prior to last night having been found afflicted with the sleeping sickness

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